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POWDER MILL BLOWS UP

WILKESBARRES, Pa., December 22.—A Du Pont powder mill at Mousie, Pennsylvania, blew up today and a number of men are reported killed.

Erie Machine Shops Closed

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 22.—Machine shops of the Erie railroad will shut down "over the holiday period," beginning Friday morning. Erie regional headquarters here announced today. About 2,000 men are affected in shops at Meadville, Pa., Cleveland and Galion.

Printers Walk Out

MARIETTA, O., Dec. 22.—Union printers on two local papers here have walked out in dispute over wage scale and shorter hours.

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS
No. 1 Rome Beauty Apples
\$2 per bushel
Turkeys, 50c per pound on foot, Plymouth Rock Chickens, young and old 30c lb. California Soft Shell English Walnuts, 1920 crop, 35c per pound.
STEWART, Phone 358
Store open every evening until Christmas
Closed all day Christmas

ARMY FLIER FAILS TO BREAK WORLD'S RECORD

MINEOLA, N. Y., December 22.—Lieutenant Ross G. Kirkpatrick, army flier, who was forced down early today while attempting to break the world's record for continuous flight, will have another try at the record soon, he declared upon alighting from his 400 horsepower army plane.

Lieutenant Kirkpatrick landed at Mitchell field at 1:30 o'clock this morning owing to a gasoline leak, after being in the air a little more than 18 hours—about six hours short of the record.

The army flier and Max Goodenough,

"Nick" Cohn Is Arrested

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 22.—Isadore "Nick" Cohn, for several months sought by the New York police in connection with the \$5,000,000 bond theft, has been arrested.

National Guard Unit Organized
PINDLAY, O.—Company D, 14th regiment, Ohio national guard organized.

WANTED—Waitress. Blue Moon Cafe, 408 Chillicothe St. 20-21 Noon.

XMAS GOOD THINGS TO EAT

All 40 and 50c candy 25 and 30c
New Nuts 20 to 35c
Sweet Oranges 30, 40 and 50c
Peck nice Apples 40, 50 and 60c
Can Fancy Peaches 20 to 30c
Can Fancy Peas 15 to 30c
Peck nice Potatoes 40c
Fresh Oysters, Turkeys, Chickens, Rabbits, Spare ribs, Country sausage, Fish, Butter and Eggs. Correct prices.
J. J. BRUSHART,
The Cash Gro.
Noon Ex-31

200 Toll In Russ Train Disaster

LONDON, December 22.—A Central News dispatch from Helsingfors, Finland, under Tuesday's date, says that several hundred persons were killed or injured in a railway accident near Petrograd. The accident was due, it is stated, to overcrowding of a train, but details are lacking. The dispatch adds:

ARKANSAS RATES ON TRAINS ARE KNOCKED OUT

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 22.—Freight and passenger rates in the state of Arkansas as recently fixed by the state commission were held discriminatory today by the interstate commerce commission, which ordered into immediate effect tariffs corresponding to those charged in interstate commerce.

OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, December 22.—Although prices were irregular at the onset of today's stock market session, there were no traces of yesterday's violent reaction. Supporting orders stabilized the better known issues, especially rails, steels, equipments and motors with resultant gains ranging from fractions to 1-1/2 points. There were no early dealings in Republic Steel, the sensational feature of the previous day, but Vandalium Steel, was firm. Oils were extremely erratic. Mexican Petroleum opening at a loss of 2-3/4, but immediately rallying 3-1/4. Price changes became more confusing within the first half hour on pressure against Crucible Steel and kindred issues.

IRISH TRAINMEN CALL OFF STRIKE

XMAS DINNER COST DECLINES

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Decreasing living costs have knocked approximately fifteen percent off the cost of this year's Christmas dinner, according to figures announced today by Russell A. Pool, secretary of the city council committee on high living costs. Last year a typical dinner for five persons cost \$9.94; the same dinner will cost \$8.52 this year, he said.

Mr. Pool's comparative price lists of the various things served on the Christmas table show reductions in nearly all items. The cost of an average turkey (ten pounds) fell from \$5.50 to \$5.25; butter (one half pound) from 38 cents to 28 cents, and dessert (plum pudding) from sixty cents to thirty five cents.

The cost of Christmas baskets of provisions such as are distributed by charitable organizations to the poor also has declined. Investigation disclosed, he said, that baskets which cost \$4.50 last year can be obtained this year for \$3.50.

DUBLIN, December 22.—The following are some of the late developments in the Irish situation:

Irish railway men decide to abandon strike against carrying munitions and return to work.

Numerous casualties reported as result of ambush at several places between County Kilkenny and County Tipperary of military and police.

Intermediaries in peace move continue reticent over progress being made.

One rider was killed and a number of persons injured in attack on post office at Cork.

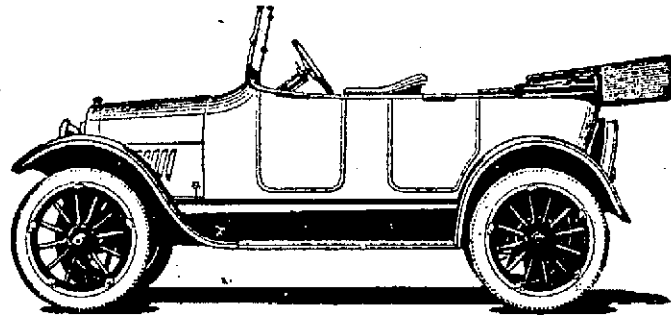
Wants Hearing on Reappraisal—meat Order

COLUMBUS, O.—Gov. Cox requests tax commission to hold hearings on real estate reappraisal, order with view of possible rescinding of order.

Weather

OHIO.—Rain probably turning into snow late tonight. Colder, Thursday snow flurries and much colder.

Crabbe Act Violators Soaked
FINDLAY, O.—Fines aggregating \$1,125 imposed on seven men and women for violations of the Crabbe act.



FREE!

Christmas Eve

Pay your bill and buy your Christmas presents at Distel's and get tickets on the Automobile that is given away Xmas Eve.

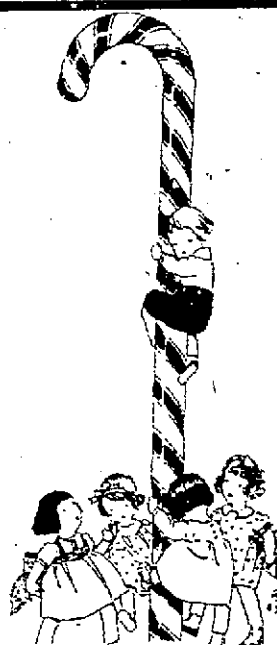
One ticket with each Columbia Record.

DISTEL FURNITURE CO.

SEVENTH AND CHILLICOTHE STREETS

Candy Cane Free!

Headquarters for the
greatest line of candies
on earth.



Do You Want a Huge Candy Cane FREE?

We have in our window a huge candy cane. With every purchase you are entitled to guess on its weight. It will be presented to the person guessing its nearest weight, on Christmas eve, Friday, Dec. 24. Make a guess—deposit your guess in a box arranged near the cash register. Write your name and address plainly.



Fifth and Chillicothe Sts

STOP AND GET WARM

See our exhibit of Humphrey Radiantfires, on Chillicothe street, south of Gooden and Haley's Barber Shop, near Fourth. The Radiantfire is fire-place equipment that is both economical and efficient.

H. A. Link & Co.

Successors To
W. J. Cullum Co.
Phone 2212
Third and Washington Sts.

Xmas Specials

Oranges 35c, 40c, 50c
Tangerines 35c, 40c
Dates, Figs.

Mixed Nuts 30c pound
Peanuts 2 pounds 35 cents.

Cranberries 20c pound
Lettuce 25c and 30c
Celery 10c, 15c, 20c.

Dressed Turkey,
Rabbits, Chickens

Fresh Eggs 85c
Fresh Oysters
60c, 70c, 80c, 90c

All kinds of fresh river fish,
Halibut, Salt Mackerel.

Joseph

Eleventh and Waller
Phone 969
Open till noon Christmas

BIGGEST CANDY CANE IN PORTSMOUTH YOURS FOR CORRECT GUESS

414 Chillicothe Street

Come in and guess the right weight of the big candy cane in the window—it's yours if you make the nearest guess. Cane will be presented to the winner on Christmas eve. A guess with every purchase.

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ROBBING CHILDHOOD

A RECENT canvass of conditions in the schools of Cleveland, made by the medical department of the board of education, developed the fact that more than 80 per cent of the pupils were under-nourished; they were either receiving not enough food, or food that was not adapted to their needs.

Health Commissioner Robertson of Chicago makes the declaration that lack of sufficient sleep on the part of the children of school age is costing the lives of 5,000 of them each year in Chicago alone. He believes that similar conditions obtain in nearly every large city in proportion to population.

Medical authorities are agreed that children of school age should not be permitted on the streets after nine o'clock, for it deprives them of the sleep that is necessary for the proper growth of the body and development of mental powers.

It is not surprising that so many children fail in their studies at school, and the records of schools in the matter of efficiency in mental application are not such as to create either pride or reasonable satisfaction on the part of school authorities or parents. One of the causes of physical and mental deficiencies is indicated by Commissioner Robertson. School authorities, he says, are able to apply regulations during school hours to overcome some of the bad habits into which so many pupils have fallen, but they can only advise the parents regarding the manner in which the time of the pupils should be spent outside school hours.

The Nebraska man sentenced to be hanged who was granted the thirteenth stay of execution of the sentence certainly has no reason to believe 13 an unlucky number.

Do your Christmas shopping early, and get out of the way of the rest of us.

Free Speech, like credit at the store, is usually worth more the less it is used.

Faith is needed at all times but never more than when eating chestnuts in the dark.

Indications from Mexico are that Villa's pension is being paid regularly and promptly.

One can see why some girls like short skirts, and one can guess why some others don't.

The farmers seem to learn about the drop in wheat a long time before the millers hear about it.

President Wilson says he will not pardon Debs, and Debs says he wouldn't take it anyhow, so that much is settled.

A Chicago man has left a thousand dollars to his barber, who probably had the faculty of knowing when not to talk.

The man who gets along best is the one who discovers early in life that there are a lot of things he does not know.

It may soon be that the best a man can expect under the bill of rights is to be tried by a jury of better halves.

A London hotel advertises that it has obtained the services of a "cocktail specialist." Probably imported him from the United States for citizens of the United States.

A man can usually retain his friends longer by letting them discover a few things for themselves.

Evidence of small mental caliber is seen in the person who tries to argue with a woman or a policeman.

All men may be created free, but their equality depends on what they are willing to do for themselves.

A woman has a lot of satisfaction that is denied to most men—she can go shopping without buying anything.

Those European countries that did not get enough fighting in the big war are making nuisances of themselves.

Opportunity is said to be bald behind, but some folks have the idea they can help some by applying a tonic.

There would be very little kicking on a cut in the wages of sin.

Except for a few hundred good-sized ears, the political trough in Washington contains nubbins.

The person who gets the most satisfaction out of a dollar neither pinches it nor throws it away.

"SUNLESS SUNDAY"

By Frederic J. Haskin

NEW YORK CITY, December 22.—The proposed "Sunday law," which was explained from the Washington viewpoint in this column a few days ago, is the center of a real emotional disturbance here in New York. And here again the excitement seems to have obscured the facts.

Neighborhood meetings are being called in all parts of the city and surrounding suburbs to protest against the restoration of the blue laws; local chapters of the American Legion are organizing to fight them; the Free-thinkers' Society is threatening opposition to all kinds of reformers, and the theater and moving picture industries are preparing to fight to keep the subject of the Sabbath out of our ever-growing book of national laws.

Of course, all of us have been more or less prepared for further reforms ever since the successful ratification of the Eighteenth Amendment, but it is doubtful if any one expected them to come so soon, or so many of them at once. Occasionally, we heard that an attack against tobacco was imminent, but that the reformers were sharpening their tomahawks for an attack on all forms of Sunday recreation, healthful or otherwise, was scarcely suspected until the Lord's Day Alliance announced its belligerent intentions.

Even now, some people are of the opinion that the alliance cannot be sincere in what it says—that there is some "jinx" about the thing some where. For instance, the other night, the following conversation between two business men on the subway, filtered up to the reporter's ears:

"I believe it's all a trumped-up scheme on the part of the Republican party," said the first business man, "They may have given these old boys a little encouragement, just to throw them over in the end. For even a feeble-minded person can see that the people are not going to submit to any more restrictions on Sunday. It's bad enough to get through as it is. Well, then, that would make a better impression on the people than for the Republic to squish the blue law agitation just as soon as they get into office. What would win the public confidence quicker?"

"Hm, that's a pretty theory," said the second business man, "but remember that everybody thought that prohibition was a joke until the Supreme Court declared it wasn't. The first thing you know we'll all be dragged out of bed on Sunday morning by prohibition officers employed by the community to see that we go to church."

A Blue Law Advocate
On the whole, New York is inclined to treat the Sunless Sunday movement very seriously, and any one who has heard the Rev. Henry L. Bowley, General Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance and leader of the movement, state his case can be perfectly sure that the Alliance means what it says. Mr. Bowley is short of stature and has short, thick, energetic hands. His eyes are small and shrewd, his mouth a thin, determined line above a stubbly chin. In Altoona, Pa., where he was formerly a minister of the gospel, he was known as an excellent "old pastor" rather than eloquent preacher. In other words, he is an extremely efficient executive—the very type one would expect to find presiding over the crowded, business-like offices of the Alliance in the Presbyterian Building on Fifth Avenue.

When being interviewed, Mr. Bowley is self-confident, but cautious. He is careful not to say anything on his own authority, but quotes elaborately from the pamphlets of the Alliance, while one of the officials of that organization, usually his attorney, sits watchfully at his elbow.

When asked if the reported aims of the Alliance were true, the other day, the reverend executive asserted that he,

personally, had been continually misquoted by the newspapers, but would be glad to rehearse the program and purpose of the organization.

"Our organization is backed by 16 denominations," he began, "including all except the Roman Catholics, the Jews, the Seventh Day Adventists, and the Unitarians. We are well-financed. Our lobby at Washington will be a strong and effective one. We shall work in every congressional district in every state. We shall advocate and spread propaganda and cause voters to write unceasingly to their representatives in congress until no congressman who cares to stay in congress will dare refuse to vote for our measures. These were the methods used by the Anti-Saloon League, and they were effective."

"We propose to pass no blue laws. There are no such things as blue laws and never were, so far as I know. We don't propose to legislate people into church. We do propose to secure legislation which will make it easier for people to go to church. In other words, we shall try to close the amusement parks; the golf links; the motion picture and other theaters; the concert halls; the amusement parks; the tennis courts; and the bathing beaches. We shall fight all amusements where an admission fee is charged. We shall oppose golf, baseball, tennis, football and other sports even if purely amateur or devoid of financial cost to those watching or taking part, because they set bad examples for children who otherwise might be content to go to Sunday school."

To Cut Off The Gas
"We shall seek to restrict the sale of gasoline for pleasure automobiles and urge other measures that will stop Sunday automobile and joy riding. This will not bring the old-fashioned horse and buggy back because we believe that the Lord's Day should be a day of rest for man and beast."

"Excursion steamer rides on Sunday will be opposed by us on the grounds that they are unnecessary to the moral welfare of America. We also see no reason why the public libraries or art galleries should remain open on Sunday. And Sunday newspapers are certainly unnecessary."

When pressed for his opinion of something that the people could do on Sunday besides go to church, Mr. Bowley declared that there would be no objection to their walking in the fields or parks or attending the beaches. "Provided they do not go in bathing," he added.

It has been stated several times in the newspapers that the program of the Lord's Day Alliance is strongly backed by the Anti-Saloon League, but the Anti-Saloon League now vigorously denies it. According to the officials of the New York branch of this organization, they are not the slightest bit concerned with the fate of Sunday, but are spending all their time and energy in attempting to see that prohibition is enforced.

That the 16 denominations said to be backing the Lord's Day Alliance in its campaign to suppress Sunday recreation are not entirely unanimous in their stand is evidenced by the statements of individual members of the clergy, who have frankly criticized the blue law movement. One of these courageous dissenters is Dr. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity Church here, who referred to the matter as follows, in a recent sermon.

Some Pastors Oppose It
"This proposed campaign for stricter Sunday laws is one of those well meant but misguided efforts which do harm instead of good, to the cause they are intended to serve. It is impracticable, wrong in principle and based on a narrow and imperfect conception of the Christian religion. It would do far more to drive religion out of the hearts

Elbe Martin



Al Moon was poisoned on a varnish remover while giving a feller permission to hunt on his farm 't day. The American barber college football team had 't be tipped ever 't time it snapped the ball at Saturday's game.

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of the people than to draw them toward it.

"We have no right to compel religious observance of Sunday by law. The law should forbid all unnecessary business on Sunday, and thus, as far as possible, secure to all their right to Sunday as a day of freedom from their ordinary occupations and of religious observance if they wish to use it. Further than this, the law may not rightly go."

The Right Rev. Charles S. Burkh, Bishop of New York, is also drily opposed to forcing Sunday Blue Laws upon the people. He says: "I do not believe that the people of this country are going back to the New England Blue Laws. If what little I have seen is correct, the reformers are going pretty far. I do not believe we are going to have such a revolution as would occur if we prohibit interstate commerce on Sunday. You cannot legislate people into moral or ethical positions. You can educate them to it, but you cannot achieve morality by compelling them to give up what they believe are their constitutional rights."

Even more interesting than the views of the clergy are the views of the people now pouring into the offices of New York newspapers, some of which are printing them in their columns. Unfortunately, we have not the space to set down the opinions of the people here. But suffice it to say that they are surprisingly serious and hostile to all reformers. They show conclusively that the Sunless Sunday will not be accepted with the same good-natured resignation that ushered in the Eighteenth Amendment."

Cannibals Sell Daughters.
Central African cannibals care very little about sons, although they raise them. They like to have daughters, because they can sell them. All of the daughters of Pangwies are sold when they are quite small children. The purchaser agrees to pay a certain price for the girl when she is old enough to marry, generally putting down something to bind the bargain. Originally girls of very good class among the Pangwies were sold for a "bundle" each, which represents about \$30. A "bundle" consists of several pieces of cloth, a flintlock gun, three or four axes or big knives, a bag or two of powder and some beads, and various other articles of value. But the high cost of living has made itself felt among the Pangwies, and to-day among the cannibals of the interior girls are sold for three or five "bundles."

Questions AND Answers

(Any reader can get the answer to any question by writing The Portsmouth Daily Times, Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. This offer applies strictly to information. The Bureau cannot give advice on legal, medical and financial matters. It does not attempt to settle domestic troubles, nor to undertake exhaustive research on any subject. Write your question plainly and briefly. Give full name and address and enclose two cents in stamps for return postage. All replies are sent direct to the inquirer.)

Q. How much Irish territory is under martial law? C. W. S.
A. The counties of Cork, Kerry, Limerick and Tipperary are kept in the proclamation of martial law. This group comprises approximately the southwestern quarter of Ireland and equals in area the Ulster counties in the northeastern section.

Q. How many soldiers are kept in Germany? T. R.
A. When reduction in forces is accomplished in conformance with new tables of organization, there will be 446 officers and 7,751 enlisted men in Germany.

Q. How did Russia stand as a what raising country before the war? E. S. N.
A. Before the outbreak of the war, Russia produced more wheat than any country in the world, save the United States, which it had even surpassed in good years. It exported on the average of 100,000,000 bushels per year.

Q. In a game of Five Hundred, the bidder forgets to discard and play two cards left at the end of play. Does the hand count? W. G. O.
A. According to Hyle, in Five Hundred, if the bidder has a wrong number of cards after playing to the first trick, the bidder loses his game, and must be set back; but if other adversaries have their right number of cards, the hand must be played out in order that they may score for tricks.

Q. Can you suggest an Indian name for a suburban home? It stands on a hill, overlooking the city. T. E. L.
A. Ispekan, meaning "It is high." Nahsist, "easily seen," or Aspatook, "high land," would be appropriate Indian names for such a place.

Q. Would like to know how the signs of the Zodiac affect vegetation. D. K. M.
A. Both the Naval Observatory and the United States Department of Agriculture say that the signs of the Zodiac have nothing whatever to do with the planting or harvesting of crops.

Q. Is there a difference between the syllabic "burgh" and "unruh" in such words as "Pittsburgh" and "Newburgh"? R. S.
A. The dropping of the final "h" in such words has become a matter of preference. Strictly speaking, the two words "burgh" and "unruh" are distinct. The former was used by historians to refer to a fortress or walled town of early or medieval times, and to exclude the latter idea of incorporation contained in the word "burgh" or "borough."

Q. What relation are first cousins' children to each other? What relation am I to my first cousin's child? C. S. M.
A. First cousins' children are second cousins. You are a "first cousin once removed" of your first cousin's child.

Q. Who established the Russell Sage Foundation and what is its purpose? M. R. A.
A. The Russell Sage Foundation was established in 1907 by Mrs. Russell Sage who gave an endowment of \$10,000,000 for the improvement of social and living conditions in the United States of America.

Q. In what way does the Chinese language differ from English? A. H.
A. The Chinese language is essentially different from the English language. Its alphabet today consists of about 400 letters. The language is monosyllabic, each word expressing a complete idea or thing. It is without inflection or distinct parts of speech. The relation of the word is recognized by its position in the sentence and

New-York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The ouija board craze has not spent itself in Manhattan. One dealer says sales this month have surpassed any month on record—which may indicate a lot of folks are to give ouija boards to friends for Christmas. One of the quiet type of side street cafes advertises that ouija boards are on hand for the amusement of guests.

Sir Rabindranath Tagore, who is here from India to see two of his plays produced, does not bring a particle of sympathy from the East for the West's ouija craze. "It is no use muddling our brains about the life after death," says the poet. "We have an instinct of continuity of life and we rightly have no more idea than a chick in the egg has of the world outside."

The poet always closes his eyes when he speaks in public, as though he sought the dictation of an interior monitor. For that reason many who saw and heard him got the idea that he was a believer in forms of spiritualism. He told a group of reporters that eternity is the everlasting present. And he added: "If you make the present moment eternal you gain immortality."

There is a fascination about Tagore that intrigues the western mind. I saw him in his hotel apartment and like others with me felt with the impression of having met a truly great mind. His prophetic-like beard and hair are perfectly matched in tone by the rare bluish gray gown he wears. The cause of perfection of his features was accentuated against the gray background by the luminous golden copper of his complexion. He speaks the irreproachable English of an Oxford man.

I have glided from ouija to Tagore. The ouija board craze is not confined to supposedly dull minds. A New York Sunday paper tells of a prominent

business man having out at his office and actually consulting it before he goes into one of those heavy conferences.

Soul culture is now being dispensed at restaurants with food. One has just opened in the Bowring Forties with the announcement: "This cafe is the creation of dreamers whose souls soar high into the clouds of the infinite tomorrow, built into the reality of today." Nothing could indeed be fairer.

The Japanese paint scenes of their native land on silk and china. Takeichi Yokoyama, a chemist of the Imperial Government, now in New York, does more—he carries a bit of Oriental landscape with him in his name. His first name means bamboo and his last mountainside.

There is something amusing and yet tinged with sadness in the following ad in an evening newspaper:

"For Sale: Ten silver wine buckets, a solid gold cocktail shaker, two dozen cut glass wine glasses, one dozen high ball glasses, twelve cocktail glasses. Also silver orange squeezer. Owner is going to France." He might have added: "Where these articles will not be needed."

At the big dog show in Boston last week, which was attended by many New York dog lovers, a short sighted dog was equipped with spectacles. The dog's eyes were weakened, it was said, by motor riding. There is a woman in New York who takes her pet Pomeranian with her to her private box at the opera and the attendants are authorized along a special bill of opera glasses for the dog's use. New York can always go Boston one better.

A Reservation
"Arthur," said a fond mother, "How would you like to be an actor. Like Uncle William, when you grow up?"

Arthur (glancing at his uncle): "Couldn't I be an actor without looking like Uncle William?"

Mabel and Myrtle
Representative Dawson, the anti-suffrage leader, said at a luncheon: "Woman's place is the home. When she starts out to imitate man she is absurd."

"Mabel was a new woman. She said to Myrtle one afternoon: 'We'll make a night of it. Come to the flat with me and we'll have a fellowship dinner.'"

"A fellowship dinner? What's that?" said Myrtle.

"Why," said Mabel, "you pay for mine, and I pay for yours."

Not Apprehensive
"Aren't you afraid America will become isolated?"

"Not if us farmers keep raising things the world needs," answered Farmer Cornsloss. "The fellow that rings the dinner bell never runs much risk of being lonesome."

Amused Twice
"Were you amused because I sharpened a pencil with your razor?" asked the attentive wife.

"Twice," replied the patient husband. "After I had given up trying to shave, I tried to write with the pencil."

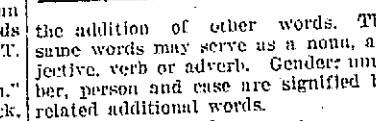
Too Much Poetic License
Yesterday everything had been happy. Tonight they sat at the extreme end of the sofa in unbroken silence.

"Harold could not fathom the cause. Had he not written a poem in her honor?"

"No," said Ethel at length. "Do you know that the feet of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor, measure 1 foot 6 inches?"

"So I have heard," she continued, giving him an icy stare. "The nose is a yard across, the thickness of the mouth is 10 feet. Did you know these facts?"

"Yes," she said. "Then you kindly explain," she demanded frigidly, "why you state in your poem that I remind you of the Statue of Liberty."—Houston Post.



Christmas Stars
I.
The Christmas Stars
May still shine bright.
But the eyes of the children
Give the dearest light.

II.
And earth and heaven
At the festive meet
Where you hear the hearts
Of the children beat.

III.
For the angels know
In the skies above
That the joy of the world
Is a little one's love!

IV.
Shine, bright stars,
In the heavenly dome;
In the smiles of the children
The heart's at home!

—Atlanta Constitution.

Ignorance Is Bliss (?)
Went had carried Mrs. Nurch into excited circles, of which she had hardly dared even to dream.

At a big dinner party she was being shown the glories of an ancestral mansion by her filled hostess, and as they passed along a corridor the latter lady paused before a marble bust.

"Use that of?" asked Mrs. Nurch, with an air of great interest.

"That is Marcus Aurelius," replied her hostess.

"Oh! Is it?" exclaimed Mrs. Nurch. "But I wish you'd tell me," she went on confidently, "whether it's the old marquis or the new one. I do get 'em mixed up so."

FERRIBLE TESSIE

By Hal Probasco

HAIR IS PROBABLY TRYING TO LIGHTEN UP FOR THE BIG TRIP.

TESSIE THOMPSON!

HEY, MAHMA—FOR THE LOVE OF UNCLE BENJAMIN'S HAND EMBROIDERED WALL PAPER STRETCHER—HAS SAUTY CLAWS BEEN AROUND HERE YET ???

—LOOK WOT I FOUND IN THE CLOTHES CLOSET—HOW COME I DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT

Joe's A Trusting Friend Anyway

SUIT YOUR KICKING—I GOTTA GO OUT ON THAT CASE—THASALL!

YOU ALWAYS LEAVE ME HOME ALONE!

CAN'T HELP IT—BUSINESS COMES FIRST!

WELL, 12 O'CLOCK AT NIGHT IS NO TIME FOR BUSINESS!

I KNOW DEAR BUT JOE IS A PARTICULAR FRIEND OF MINE!

I DON'T BELIEVE IT! IF HE WAS VERY PARTICULAR—HE WOULDN'T TAKE YOU AS HIS LAWYER!

LOUIE THE LAWYER

LOUIE THE LAWYER

LOUIE THE LAWYER

LOUIE THE LAWYER

POLLY AND HER PALS

IT'S AWFUL ASH. JUST AWFUL!

WHAT'S AWFUL?

LOST HIS VOICE!

Y' MEAN T SAY HE'S DUMB?

YES, AND HIM (WITH HIS FUTURE BEFORE HIM)

DAWGONE IT! HE COULD MAKE HIS FORTUNE IN THE TONSORIAL TRADE!

HE'D BE THE MOST POPULAR BARBER YOU EVER!

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ORGY OF ASSASSINATIONS IN DUBLIN; 29 KILLED; 70 ARE LYING IN HOSPITALS

EVERYBODY COMING FROM EVERYWHERE TO UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, November 22.—Testimony to the effect that "everybody, from everywhere in Europe, is trying to emigrate to the United States to escape conditions of congestion and discomfort on the other side of the ocean, will be presented by Ole Hanson, former mayor of Seattle, to the house immigration committee, it was announced here today by Representative Albert Johnson.

Mr. Hanson returned last Saturday from a visit to seaports of Holland, France, Belgium, Sweden and other countries. He has been quoted as advocating total suspension of European immigration for a minimum period of two years.

NO BAN ON HOPS SALE

COLUMBUS, O., November 22.—Kramer and Bettman, Cincinnati attorneys, counsel for malt and hop dealers in Ohio, in a communication received by local dealers today assert "there is no ruling either by the prohibition enforcement department, issued or in contemplation that limits sale of malt extract, hops, etc., to bakers and confectioners."

The lawyers were sent to Washington by a Cincinnati concern. Their conclusion, they said in the letter, was reached after "full conferences with officers of the prohibition enforcement office."

"We found the entire reliance of the

FRENCH WILL NOT OPPOSE BY FORCE CONSTANTINE'S RETURN

PARIS, Nov. 22.—The French government will not oppose by physical force the return of former King Constantine to the Greek throne which the foreign office now regards as inevitable. The Associated Press was informed today.

It was stated that Premier Legerue will advocate at his meeting with Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain, that a joint note be sent to the Greek people, pointing out to them "very strongly the consequences of Constantine's restoration" prominent among which would be the withdrawal

TO COMMAND GREEK FORCES

ATHENS, November 22.—General Papagos has been named by the Greek government successor to General Panagiotopoulos, commander of Greek forces on the Smyrna.

Lord Granville, British representative, accompanied by George Rallis, the new Greek premier today went on board the battleship Iron Duke, flagship of the British squadron which is anchored off Piraeus.

To Fight For Higher Wages and Shorter Hours

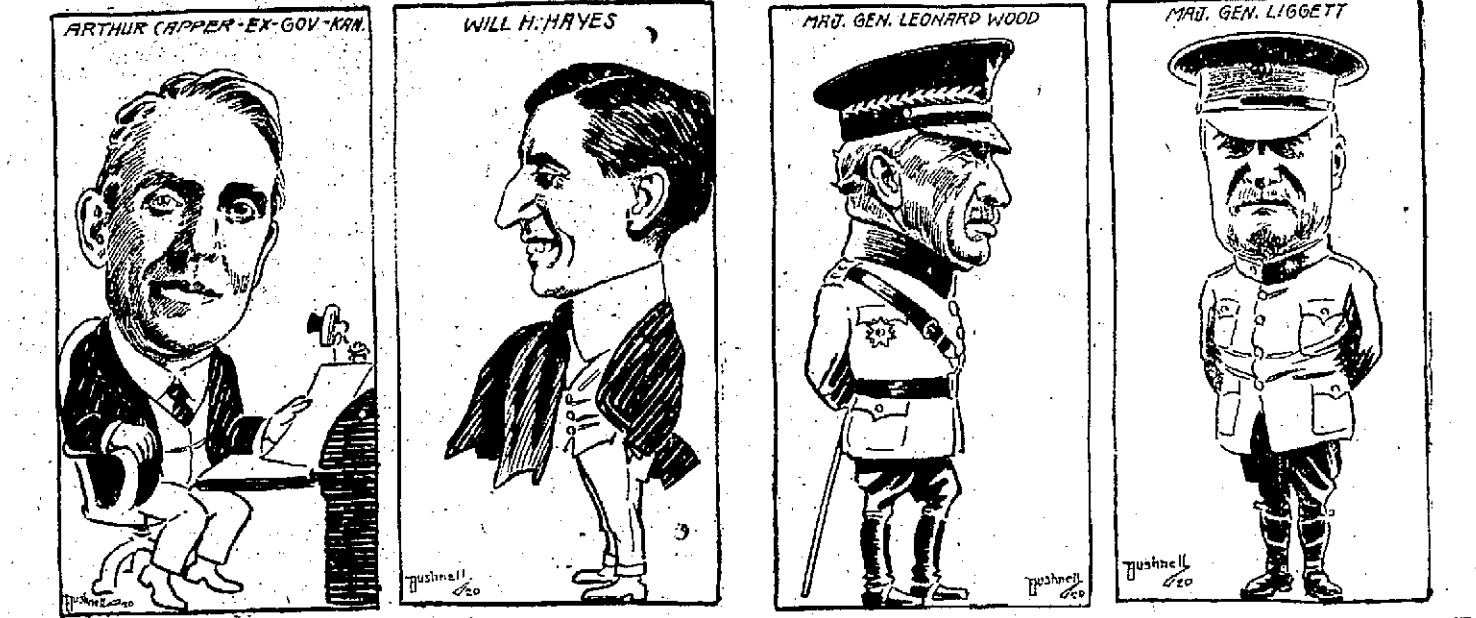
BOSTON.—Organized labor will continue to fight for increased wages and shorter hours and will stand for no reduction in wages, Daniel Tobin, treasurer of American Federation of Labor, said in speech.

RAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

RUN! BOB! LOW TAIN!
NO SENSE O' GITTING
SKEERED AT A HANT
CASE DEY AIN' ER-LIVE
BUT LAW! DAS JES' DE
TROUBLE!!!



Hays, Capper, Liggett, Wood May Be Rewarded By Harding



ARMY TO END HOSTILITIES IN ARMENIA FAVORED BY LEAGUE

GENEVA, November 22.—A resolution presented by M. Viviani, inviting the council of the League of Nations to confer with the various powers with the view of constituting a force sufficient to put an end to hostilities in Armenia, which was joined to Lord Robert Cecil's resolution along the same lines, was adopted by the assembly of the league this afternoon.

GENEVA, November 22.—The possibility of American aid for the Armenians was touched upon in debate today by the assembly of the League of Nations on resolutions demanding intervention by the league in Armenia. Supporting Lord Cecil's demand that the assembly appoint a committee to examine into means for ending the hostilities between the Turkish Nationalists and the Armenians, M. Spalovich, of the Serbian delegation recalled that the United States senate at one time had approved the use of the American fleet to succor the Armenians. It was recalled here in this connection that Senator Harding was the senator who reported the resolution.

A resolution requesting the president to send marines to Datum was adopted by the senate May 13, last. It was offered by Senator Harding on behalf of the foreign relations committee.

A. J. Balfour, of Great Britain, speaking on the resolution said that if the United States had been willing to take the mandate for Armenia she had the men, money and spirit to make her an ideal mandatory. The league has been unable to accomplish anything with regard to the Armenian situation, Mr. Balfour admitted, because the condition of Armenia, he argued was not such as the league was organized to deal with.

Two Hundred and Sixteen New Recipes

Here is a free recipe book. It tells how to fix 216 different dishes—every one out of a can from the grocer's.

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Frederic J. Haskin, Director,
The Portsmouth Daily Times
Information Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

I enclose herewith two cents in stamps for return postage on a free copy of Recipes for Canned Foods.

Body Found Hanging From
A Tree; Murder Suspected
TOLEDO, O., November 22.—Wood county authorities today are working on the theory that an unidentified man, whose body was found hanging from a tree in Blossford, was murdered and that the corpse was suspended by a wire to indicate suicide.

The body bears a shot wound and bruises. In the clothing were found clippings from Detroit newspapers and laundry marks showed the initials H. U. L. The man was well dressed.

U. S. Ready To Recognize Mexico As Soon As Legal Questions Straightened Out

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The United States Government stands ready to recognize the Government in Mexico over which President-elect Alvaro Obregon will rule next month provided the legal questions pending between the two Governments can be satisfactorily adjusted.

For the first time in more than a decade a Government has arisen in Mexico which appears to realize fully the necessity of co-operation with the United States but public opinion here the Rio Grande is still as sensitive about any attitude that might seem cringing or suppliant. This accounts for the official statements insisting that Mexico cannot afford to accept any recognition which has conditions attached to it. Naturally the American Government has no desire to impose conditions as such. Moreover, the Washington Administration realizes that American public opinion will not be satisfied with mere promises and that actual performance is necessary. Some start must be made toward the settlement of pending difficulties and when action has been taken by the Mexican Government to warrant a belief that the points which the United States wishes cleared up will be eventually settled then recognition will be gladly extended.

Harding Plans To Go Through Canal On Tug

ON BOARD STEAMER PANAMA, November 22.—(By Wireless to the Associated Press)—President-elect Harding's voyage to Panama was nearing an end today with the Panamanian riding in a smooth sea on a schedule that would bring her into Cristobal early tomorrow morning.

Plans for the five days stay in the Canal Zone so far are incomplete, but one feature will be a trip through the canal, probably on a government tug. It has been suggested that the party go through the waterway on the Panamanian, but the president-elect regarded the plan as somewhat impracticable. One day probably will be devoted to inspection of the canal and the remainder of the time sight-seeing with a few games of golf in between.

Send Out Warning Of Storm

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Storm warnings were ordered out by the weather bureau today for the Great Lakes territory from northern Lake Michigan through Lakes Huron, Erie and Ontario, and for the Atlantic coast from Sandy Hook to Eastport, Maine. A storm area centered over northern Ohio is moving eastward and will increase in intensity. Strong winds rising to gales off the coast may be expected.

Appalling Chapter Of Tragedy Started With The Murder Of Fourteen Military Officers

DUBLIN, November 22.—Twenty-six persons are dead and seventy others are lying in hospitals as a result of Sunday's orgy of assassinations and the wholesale shooting in Crooke Park, where soldiers fired on the crowd which had gathered to witness a football game between the Dublin and Tipperary teams.

Dublin's apprehensions that reprisals would follow last night proved unfounded, and it is believed that government reports of three or four killings in the city after midnight were due to their confusion with outrages near Dublin.

Aside from military activities and searchings, including Mansion House, armored cars passing through the streets and the fact that all thoroughfares leading out of the city were closely watched, Dublin and its vicinity were quieter today. It appeared that yesterday's outbreak, following the lines of other Irish disturbances, was not being sustained. The shooting in Crooke Park, which was described today by some of the newspapers as another Amritsar, is defended by the authorities on the ground that they had reason to believe that men from the provinces had participated in yesterday's murders and were present at the football match. The design of the military, it was said, was to prevent their exits and search each individual as he passed out through the turnstiles.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Murder stalked through the streets of Dublin yesterday, and at night fall meager reports received here indicated that at least 25 persons had been killed and upwards of 100 more or less seriously wounded.

The day's disorders, which added an appalling chapter to the tragedy that has been enacted in Ireland for the past several months, began with the apparently deliberate shooting of fourteen men, who for the most part were military officers. During the afternoon Irish constabulary, or "black and tans," raided Crooke Park, where a football game was in progress, and in the melee which resulted, at least ten persons were killed.

FIRES BREAK OUT IN VARIOUS PLACES

Communication with Ireland was seemingly interrupted last evening, but the latest advices declared that fires had broken out in various places in that city.

Shooting again began in the streets just before midnight and it was asserted a number of persons had been killed.

Yesterday's murderous outbreak in Dublin produced in this city a sensation comparable to that which followed the Easter rebellion of 1916. Recent declarations by members of the British ministry, to the effect that their policy was succeeding, that outrages were decreasing in number and that the authority of the law was being re-established, had been hopefully welcomed by the general public. The people today reacted with astonishment such phrases as were uttered a fortnight ago by Premier Lloyd George who said:

"Unless I am mistaken, we have murdered by the throat."

Whether Sunday's tragic events are to be regarded as disproof of such official utterances remains to be seen. Military authorities in Dublin are said to hold the view that the murder of the fourteen army officers will prove the final outbreak of a nearly broken conspiracy—the last desperate throw of the fugitives who are known to have flocked to Dublin to escape the severity of the measures employed in the provinces to suppress Sinn Feinism.

A press association dispatch from Dublin describing the Crooke Park affair yesterday says that when the firing began the people swept like an avalanche across the field, praying as they ran.

The scene presented was a terrifying one, the message adds.

LONDON, November 22.—The sending of additional troops to Ireland is being seriously considered, it was stated at the war office this afternoon.

London was waiting anxiously and fearfully this morning for further news from Dublin following the reports of yesterday's horrors, but up to early afternoon only meager dispatches had been received.

Reports to the Irish office from Dublin were that three or four unidentified persons had been killed in that city late last night. Several policemen had been killed in other parts of Ireland, the Irish office announced.

A brief telephone message at eight o'clock this morning had reported the city at least temporarily quiet. There was a gap in the reports up to the noon hour, but whether this indicated a censorship was not known. Meager reports during the night stated that shooting was going on as a sequel to yesterday's assassinations and subsequent clashes between the military and a crowd at Crooke Park.

Owners Start Move To Get Back Breweries

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Mr. Heintzman went to Washington to appear in person before Williams and thus expedite the case.

Deputy Collectors from Collector Stephen W. McGrath's office were on guard at the two breweries today, and will continue there until the bonds are signed.

No advices have been received as yet by Collector McGrath regarding the saloons. It is known that beer containing more than the legal alcoholic content was found in many of the saloons visited by the dry agents last week.

Gabriele Is Opposed To Rapallo Treaty

ROME, Nov. 22.—Gabriele D'Annunzio, insurgent commander at Fiume, declared today he was unalterably opposed to accepting the treaty of Rapallo, settling the Adriatic dispute between Italy and Yugoslavia, and that he would continue fighting until the "just claims of Italy were met."

"I will not yield; I will not give up," declared D'Annunzio to the correspondent. "The fruits of victory belong to Italy. Friends of mine, generals in the army, officials of the government, implore me to accept the treaty of Rapallo, but I will not resign. Italy's just claims must be satisfied. I am fighting a just fight, and I will continue until the Italian aspiration is fulfilled. Friends may abandon me. I will stand firm. I am Gileon. Let those who lack courage desert me. Let those who fall in resentment with iron will. There remain the brave with Gileon and Gileon's brave will conquer."

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A feller's almost compelled to carry a change o' clothing or two right with him to and from work these days due to the whims o' the weather. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Rain (turning to snow late tonight or Tuesday, Col'ler.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 62; low, 45.

Billy Butt-In THE TIMES' WEATHER MAN



C. & O. FOREMAN KILLED WHILE UNLOADING STEEL

Henry Smith, aged 47, tool car foreman in the C. and O. yards in Russell, Ky., was almost instantly killed this morning while assisting in unloading a carload of steel in the Russell yards.

One of the huge pieces of steel topped over on Smith before he could get out of its path and he was so badly hurt that he died within three minutes after being hurt. His back was broken, he was injured internally and both legs were fractured.

Smith, who had long been a valued employee of the C. and O., was well known along this division of this road. In addition to his wife he is survived by two children.

YOUTH ADMITS SETTING FIRE TO SCHOOL HOUSE, SHERIFF SAYS

Investigation of the attempt to burn the Pleasant Valley school house at McClellough last Monday afternoon led to the taking into custody by Sheriff E. E. Ricker late Tuesday of a 12 year old boy named Charles Stevens, who attended the school and lived with the family of J. W. Garst, in the immediate vicinity.

The investigation disclosed that the building had undoubtedly been set on fire and the finger of suspicion pointed to the youth as the guilty one, and on being questioned he confessed, according to Sheriff Ricker. The lad gave no further explanation of his strange act, further than that he wanted to cause a little excitement after he had related how he started a blaze under the teacher's chair on the inside of the building and then set fire to the building in two places on the outside. He used oil to start the fires as he carried a can full which he secured at the Freeman store for the Garst family, officials say.

Persons living near the building attracted by the smoke rushed to the scene and succeeded in extinguishing the flames before they had gained much headway and saved the building from destruction.

Little is known concerning the Stevens boy, who has lived with the Garst family for two years, having been secured by them through the State Board of Charities. The lad, who appears normal in all respects except that he was somewhat dull in school, according to the teacher, Miss Mary Crowe, was brought to the county jail where he is detained in the juvenile ward.

ELKS TO DISTRIBUTE 500 BASKETS

The Elks' committee on arrangements for distributing Christmas baskets to the needy are busy assembling the materials for distribution on Friday afternoon from the George Abroad building at 907 Gallia street.

So far they expect to give out 500 baskets, and urge anyone knowing of any worthy poor who are entitled to a basket, to send in the names and addresses as soon as possible, by calling the Chamber of Commerce or any of the committee, including Harry Williams, John Wilhelm, H. H. Winter, A. S. Turner, Edward Strimatter, Maude Wilson, Bonnie Copps, Roberta Hennessy and Mary E. Sloane.

5,000 IS RED CROSS GOAL

With only 70 more memberships needed to swell the reported total in the recent Fourth Roll Call to the 5,000 mark, officials of the Red Cross expect to renew their activity to get detailed reports from the country districts this week in order to pass this mark.

The districts that have not as yet reported are Barren, McDermott, Minford and Vernon township.

A total of 25 subscriptions were turned in from Scioto Furnace Tuesday.

BEAVER CHURCH IS DEDICATED

Beaver Chapel church on the Beaver circuit, Pike Co., was dedicated Sunday by District M. E. Superintendent J. B. Hawk of this city. He preached at the Pikeson church Sunday morning and at Beaver Sunday afternoon.

Rev. E. E. Fowler, a former Portsmouth citizen, is pastor of Beaver Chapel church. He is said to be making that section of the district with an up-to-date rural program.

He is a young man, specially trained, and is popular as a pastor and church leader. He is peculiarly adapted to the young people's work and is doing some fine things among them.

The church was dedicated at the afternoon service.

Says Judge Offered Her \$500 Not To Tell What She Knew

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 22.—When the trial of Chief Justice of City Courts William D. McGannon, on a charge of second degree murder for the killing of Harold C. Karg, was resumed today, a large crowd again packed the court room and corridors of the court house.

In view of the fact that Attorney W. H. Boyd, chief counsel for the defense, conducted only a perfunctory cross-examination of Miss Mary E. Neely, who yesterday gave the first direct testimony accusing Judge McGannon of the murder, it was anticipated she might be recalled.

Miss Neely, in her testimony yesterday, testified she had been a friend of the judge for sixteen years. She related how she had followed the automobile carrying the judge, Karg and John W. Joyce to the scene of the shooting. After the machine halted for approximately twenty minutes at the corner of East Ninth and Hamilton avenue, she watched the judge and Karg engage in conversation, she testified. At this time she was at the corner of East Ninth street and Oregon avenue, two blocks away. She testified Judge McGannon "pulled something from his pocket. Simultaneously, she said, a shot rang out and Karg lurched forward."

A week later, on May 15, the witness said, she saw Judge McGannon in his office in city hall.

"I asked him to go and tell that it was an accident," she testified. He said, "No, it is too late now."

Continuing her testimony, Miss Neely told of ten meetings she said she had with Judge McGannon at different times after the shooting, the last of which was on November 21, four days after John W. Joyce was acquitted by a jury for the same crime. This last meeting was at her own home, and they conversed, while her sister, Mrs. Louis T. Webb, listened to the conversation from behind a curtain in an adjoining room. She swore that at this time the judge offered her \$500 to "keep her mouth shut" and to go before County Prosecutor Baskin and retract what she had told him and the grand jury regarding the case. After a short cross-examination, Attorney Boyd asked for and was granted permission to have the record show that the cross-examination was ended temporarily and reserved the right to recall the witness.

But one other witness was to be presented by the state and it was expected the defense would begin presentation of their evidence today.

Charles Spratt Again Heads Ben Hur Lodge

Charles Spratt was selected Chief of the Ben Hur Lodge Tuesday night at a well attended meeting of the order. Other officers elected were as follows: Past Chief, Joseph Diener; Judge William Hazebaker; Teacher, Laura Hancock; Scribe, Bryan Caskey; K. of T. Henry Bassler; Captain, George Barker; Guide, Constant Labor; K. of L. Leona Barker; K. of O. C. Joseph Parker; Trustee, Thomas Wilkoff; Banquet, Margaret Hoerdt; M. of C. Charles Barker.

After the election the Christmas Eve social committee announced that all plans had been arranged for a good time next Friday night. Laura Hancock, Edna Moore, Mrs. Julius Horrell, Mrs. Vera Evans, and George Barker form this committee. A large Christmas tree will be placed in the hall Thursday and on Friday night a big dance will be held starting at 9 o'clock. After the meeting Tuesday night a passing party was enjoyed and then a dance until 1 o'clock. All members are invited to come and help decorate the tree Thursday.

Attend Initiation

IRONTON, Dec. 22.—Frank Pratt and wife went to Portsmouth last night to attend the installation of the ladies' auxiliary of The Spanish American War Veterans. The auxiliary started off with a membership of over twenty. The charter is still open for ladies from this city and county.

Charles Lechman of 1122 Gay street is ill with grip.

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OBITUARY

Jesse McDowell
Death at 7:30 Tuesday night claimed Jesse McDowell, aged 44, at the home of J. D. Fannin, 2025 Fifth street, complications arising from frost-bite sustained one night recently when he became lost on the way to the home, causing death. The deceased was an uncle of Mrs. Fannin.

Mr. McDowell, came here three months ago to attend the funeral services of his brother, Mathiot McDowell. He was just recovering from an attack of influenza when he became ill again.

Funeral services will be held from the Fannin home at 2:30 this afternoon. Rev. Samuel Johnson of the Robtson Avenue Baptist church officiating. Burial will be in Greenlawn cemetery.

No Trace Of Six Daring Toledo Bandits

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 22.—Thirty-six hours after one of the largest robberies in the history of the city, the police are as far from apprehending the robbers, or even arresting a suspect as they were an hour after six men armed with shotguns held up ten American Railway Express Company guards and escaped with a safe containing \$16,500 in cash and bonds.

Despite the fact that every known hangout for crooks has been raided, there is no clue to the robbers and it is believed they drove to another city, probably Cleveland.

A force of operatives in the employ of the express company has been working with the police.

George P. Greenhalgh, director of public safety, made a statement today in which he said he believed that the fresh outbreak of crime is but a reaction from the department's drive against law-breakers instituted when Greenhalgh's predecessor was removed from office and the detective bureau was shaken up.

"Toledo has gone along for years under a system of tolerating crooks as a necessary evil and it is a difficult thing now to overcome a deep-seated evil of that kind in a moment," he declared.

"We are watching daily for such a reaction and are gradually tightening the lines on highwaymen, safe-blowers and burglars. We shall proceed along this line until the city has been riden of this undesirable element."

A number of hold-ups and burglaries were reported to police early today.

Cabinet Member Son Is Killed

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 22.—Walter R. Alexander, son of Secretary Alexander, of the department of commerce, was killed when struck by an airplane propeller at Bolling Field.

In Ironton

E. W. Baesman, a local dancing teacher, is in Ironton, where he will hold a reception dance tonight.

Government Owned Ships Over Billion

NEW YORK, December 22.—Chairman Benson, of shipping board, declares in address that government owned vessels have earned more than \$1,000,000,000 in gross revenue.

Ohio Collector For European Relief

COLUMBUS, O.—William Eugene Jones, Columbus, named director of collections in Ohio for European children's relief fund.

70 Philippine Constabulary Men Guilty

MANILA — Seventy members of Philippine constabulary pleaded guilty to sedition charge in connection with riot in which eleven lives were lost.

Wealth In Old Stamps

An old bank, decreed and crumbling to pieces, discovered by workmen in an attic in Philadelphia, containing nothing but bundles of letters, has been found to be worth a fortune in old stamps.

Original "Limerick"

The word is said to have been adopted as a name for a certain kind of nonsense rhyme because an old song current in Ireland, which had the same verse construction, contained the place name "Limerick."

Chinese Lily Fine Plant

One of the most successful bulbs for house culture is the Chinese sacred lily, a variety of the narcissus which is imported from China. It is in a dish about three inches deep, put in one and a half inches of sand, and water with one inch of gravel, white pebbles, or broken marble. On this set the bulbs to prevent them from floating. Place them in a sunny window, and they will bloom perfectly. The flowers are white, with a yellow-tinted cup, the stems rising a truss, with from three to seven blooms. The Chinese cut away the hard skin on the top of the bulb, which seems to facilitate the growth, but in cutting one must be careful to cut only one-eighth of an inch in depth, or the leaf growth will be injured.

Is Helping Out

John L. Reilly is helping out during the Christmas rush in W. W. Reilly & Company's book store.

Dr. Fetter Home Again

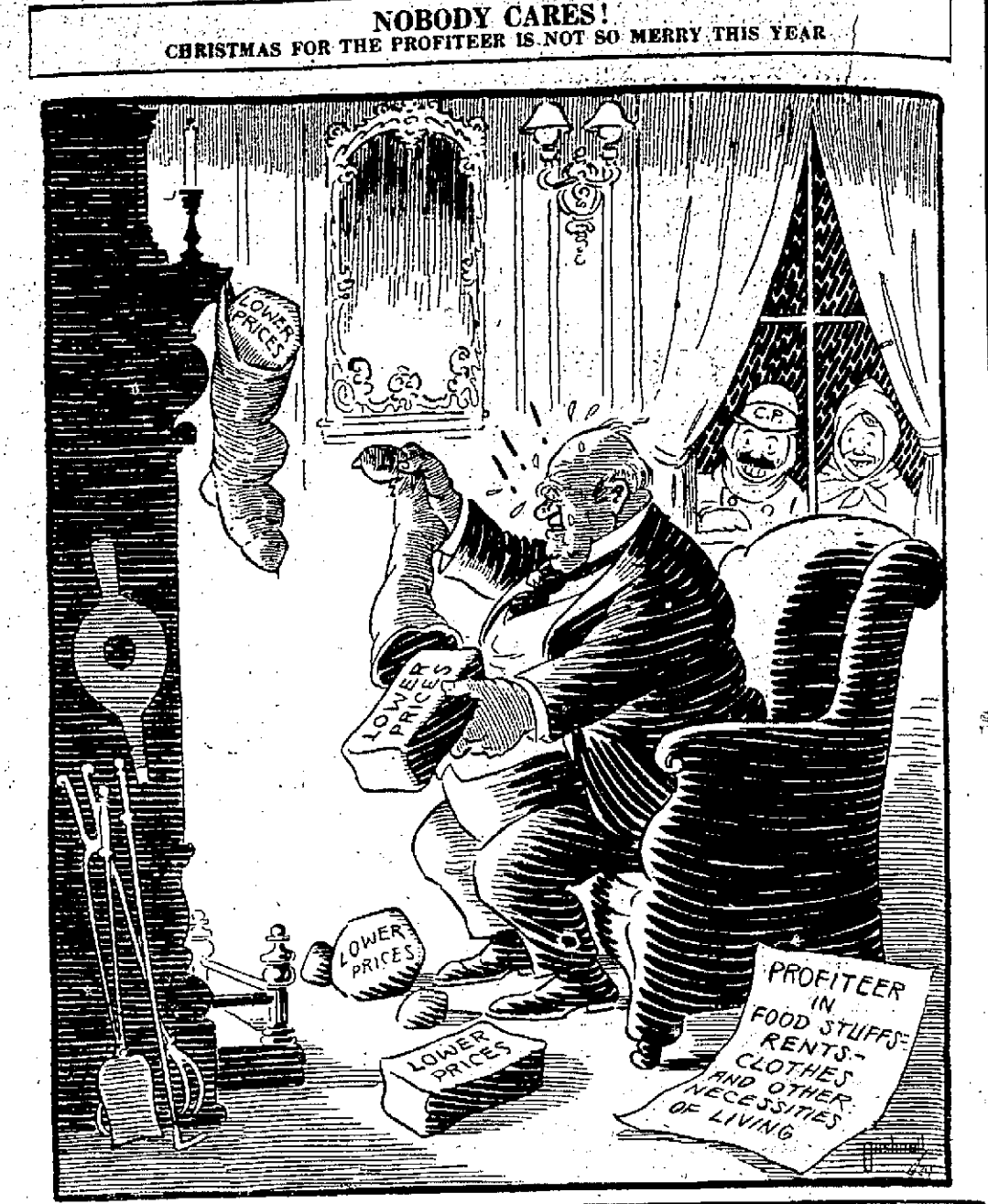
ASHLAND, KY., Dec. 22.—Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Fetter and Miss Mallory are home from a month's sojourn to New York. They will be in Ashland until after the Yuletide season. Dr. Fetter, the president of the Chamber of Commerce, is very much interested in the business outlook for Ashland and notes with great pleasure the advances which the city is making.

Altogether a Busy Family

"What is the Higgins family doing now?" asked Mrs. Jones, of her neighbor. "The wife is writing poems that nobody will read, the daughter is painting pictures that nobody will buy, the son is writing plays that nobody will put on the stage, and the husband is writing checks that nobody will cash." was the startling reply.

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Wood Case Is Continued For Investigation

After hearing the evidence in the case of Wiley Wood, 624 Ninth street, charged with unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor in violation of the prohibition law, in Municipal Court Tuesday, Judge Small continued the case for further investigation.

The accused strenuously denied the charge and stoutly declared that he had made any liquor. He explained the presence of the dismounted still, made from a milk can, in his home by saying that it had been left there by a man from Kentucky whose name he did not remember. The two pints of liquor found there, he said, was part of a gallon he had bought from this man for \$18.

Chief Distel told the court of receiving complaints in respect to the defendant dispensing liquor which resulted in the raid on his home. The chief said the piece of a still found there bore evidence of recent use.

Mr. Anderson In The City

Looking unusually well after having enjoyed a delightful visit to the Orient, W. B. Anderson is back in Portsmouth for a short stay. After his firm holds its annual meeting in January, he will return to Pasadena, Cal., where his family is spending the winter.

To Daughter's Home

George Redinger, of Rosemount, Tenn., was removed Tuesday to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Amos Parker, 1301 Kinney street, from Schirra's hospital, where he underwent a serious operation about five weeks ago. He is getting along nicely, which will be pleasing news to his many friends.

For Holidays

Raymond Dages, who is employed in Baltimore, will arrive here this week to spend the holidays with home folks.

In Cincinnati

G. W. Brierley and son, Harold, of Hutehals street, are in Cincinnati on business.

Back From Cincinnati

Fred Imphlian has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati in the interest of the Standard Supply company.

Back From Circleville

Chris Malavazos has returned from a business trip to Circleville.

Must Go To Work Or Get Out Of Town

Dubert Duchesney, 43, arrested by the police on a charge of loitering, told Judge Small Tuesday he was out of work and had no place to stay. The police said that the defendant had been sleeping in boxes or on the street, but could find that many complaints had been received of him wandering about at night about homes and frequenting people.

Court Fails To Believe Story; Johnson Fined

George Johnson, negro, was found guilty in Municipal court Tuesday of a charge of petit larceny and Judge Small fined him \$10 and costs.

The evidence disclosed that Johnson worked a fraud on a blind soldier named Charles Martin at the N. & W. passenger station Monday night by giving him a one dollar bill for a ten dollar bill in exchange for ten one dollar bills. Johnson getting \$9 the best of the transaction.

Johnson claimed that he and Martin were old comrades, having served in France together, and he disclaimed any intention of blinding him. He said it was merely a mistake, but he did not succeed in convincing the court of the sincerity of his story.

Fine Menu At Ft. Thomas

Army recruiting Sergeant Harry Rubin has received from Cincinnati headquarters post cards giving the menu that will be enjoyed at the Fort Thomas, Ky., recruiting depot on Christmas Day. All local recruits are sent to the Fort Thomas depot for final entrance into the army. The menu for Xmas day dinner will be as follows:

Celery, pickles, cream of tomato soup, young New England turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, candied sweet potatoes, roasted meats, mince pie, apple pie, assorted fruits, mixed nuts and candies, etc.

NEW C. & O. PRESIDENT GOES THROUGH

President W. A. Buchanan of the C. & O. passing through South Portsmouth, Va. en route being elevated to the presidency of the C. & O.

MOTHER KILLS HER LITTLE SON WITH AN AXE AND THEN DISAPPEARS; IS SUPPOSED TO BE IN CREEK

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Child Is Kicked By Mule

Katherine, three year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bunnagardner of 1610 Mound street was kicked by a mule this morning but was not seriously hurt as she was struck a glancing

blow on her left cheek. Dr. Carl Braunlin was called and it required several stitches to sew up the wound. The mule belongs to Cecil S. Miller

and it was being given some water when suddenly it turned and kicked the child, who was standing nearby on a small lumber pile.

The mule attempted to kick the child a second time, but Mr. Bunnagardner, who was nearby drove the animal away with a club.

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UNION SERVICES THANKSGIVING DAY

Union services, in keeping with the spirit of the day, will be held in the First Christian church, Franklin Avenue and the United Brethren church on Thanksgiving Day.

At the U. B. church the First and

Central Presbyterian and Bigelow church will hold their services with Rev. H. W. Buck delivering the sermon.

At the Franklin Avenue church, Mainly, Grandview and Cavalry Bap-

tist will hold their services with a sermon by Rev. Scoringhaus. At the First Christian church, Trinity M. E. and the Second Presbyterian church will hold their services, with a sermon being delivered by Rev. C. E. Chandler.

STATE HAD REAL STAR THIS YEAR

After the famous game between Ohio State and Illinois last year when

the Illini won in the last eight seconds by virtue of an 18-yard dropkick by

Bob Fletcher, a practically green kicker while his brother Ralph an experienced kicker, sat on the bench, Coach Jack Wilce, was discussing the prospects for a championship team in 1921 and he said if he could develop an eleven that would have a co-ordinated offense and defense they would win eleven.

the championship. And they did develop such an eleven and Wilce calls it the greatest team that ever represented Ohio State.

The team this year had no individual star that could equal the famous Chie Harby, although Stinebaugh put up a big battle to equal his former running mate, but the eleven itself was more powerful than the 1919

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Send In Your Acceptance

Members of the U. C. T's. who have received invitations to the big dance on Saturday evening, November 27, are requested to mail their cards of acceptance to Secretary J. D. Bridges. This dance is expected to be one of

the largest of the season. At Steinkamp's Store William Bradley 1303 Mound street, has accepted a position in the finishing department at Steinkamp's store.



Stuff the bird with
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NEW REGIME IN GREECE WORKING TO KEEP PEACE

ATHENS, November 22.—Members of the new Greek cabinet are working overtime to establish the new regime, and to renege thousands of functionaries and military officers removed by former Premier Venizelos.

Apparently the new ministry is attempting to pursue a policy of moderation toward followers of the former premier. An indication of this sentiment may be found in the retention of Sterialis, as governor of Smyrna, while M. Politis, has been asked to continue his work as foreign minister.

"Please call the attention of Americans to the fact that the nation is now united," said Demetrios Gounaris to the Associated Press today. "This is shown by the joy over the nation's deliverance during the past few days. We are no longer trying to assassinate

others, as M. Venizelos predicted, because of his non-election.

"Greece will continue her policy of civilization in the Orient," he continued. "Wherever you go in the Orient, you will find us playing this role. I do not believe the allies will revise the Turkish treaty. So far as we are concerned, we were given Thrace and Smyrna, not because of Venizelos. I do not believe the allies will oppose the return of Constantine or details of our work toward progress. If necessary Constantine would renege our armies with which he is popular. This is a matter for consideration if we should be obliged to fight the Turks.

"It is time nations quit wars and agree to work again. We wish to live at peace with all nations and we trust our Turkish relations will not throw us in contact with the Russian Bolsheviks."

TANK CORPS HARD HIT BY RESIGNATIONS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The army tank corps has suffered from many resignations and few re-enlistments because soldiers trained in this arm of the service find it easy to obtain lucrative positions in civil life, says the annual report of Brigadier General A. T. Rockenbach, chief of the corps, in a public today.

The corps returned from France in July 1919, with a greatly depleted personnel, but in the past fiscal year a net gain of 20 officers and 1,746 enlisted men was made, the report says, leaving, however, a considerable shortage to be made up.

Although the corps possessed more

than 800 tanks when it left France, all were in poor condition and none ready for battle, General Rockenbach states. Considerable progress has since been made in repairing damaged material and in design and manufacturing new machinery, the report added.

Technical recommendations included the stationing of the chief of the corps in the office of the chief of infantry in the war department rather than at Camp Meade, as now located, and the production of a durable and fast cross-country tank, without which, the report asserts, "no army can count on a swift advance in the theatre of operations."

Fate Of Hospital Bond Issue To Be Decided Tuesday

The hospital committee of the Chamber of Commerce will meet with the city council, Mayor Gableman, Safety Director St. Straus and City Solicitor Skelton at 7 p. m. Tuesday to decide the fate of the proposed \$100,000 addition to the present Hempstead hospital.

The members of the hospital committee are Samuel B. Timmonds, chairman, Frank Marting, G. D. Selby, J. A. Bode and G. W. Vandervort.

Health Workers Take Training

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—Nearly five hundred physicians, social workers and public health officials from all parts of the country enrolled here today for a special two week training course in venereal disease control and social hygiene, conducted by the United States public health service.

The purpose of the course was said to be "to familiarize those attending with the recent marvelously swift advance in both the medical and social aspects of the venereal diseases," and to stress the importance of the preventive, or social, side of the problem as well as the medical.

The training course is conducted as a preliminary to the all-American conference on venereal diseases to be held here December 6 to 11, the first of a series of conferences suggested by the international health conference held last year under the auspices of the League of Red Cross Societies.

Japan Pools Rights In 3 Railroads

TOKIO, November 22.—Japan has pooled her rights in three railroads in China with the nations making up the consortium which will play a dominant role in the financing of Chinese engagements, says the newspaper Nichi Nichi. In discussing the consortium arrangements, the newspaper questions whether Japan's sacrifice is not too great.

Another newspaper, the Kokokumin Sunbun, complains the consortium reduces Japan to the same level with the United States and England, and that Japan gets an internationalized country as a neighbor.

The principle of "Asia for Asiatics" the newspaper concludes "thus receives a blow."

Says Mexican Envoy Acted Without Power

MEXICO CITY, November 22.—Roberto V. Pasqueira, Mexican confidential agent in the United States, acted without authority in ordering Mexican consular agents on the international frontier not to give the passports of United States Senator Albert B. Fall, of New Mexico, who proposed to visit Mexico City and attend the inauguration of General Alvaro Obregon as president on December 1.

This statement was made to the newspaper El Universal yesterday by Dr. Culbierio Hidalgo, under secretary of foreign affairs, who pointed out that Pasqueira's attitude in no way reflected the sentiments of the Mexican foreign office.

It was pointed out by Dr. Hidalgo that the president of the republic alone has the power to expel foreigners or issue orders prohibiting them from entering the country. He declared Pasqueira's attitude as confidential agent in his duties as confidential agent in no way reflected the sentiments of the Mexican foreign office.

He said no decision had been reached as to what should be done officially to rectify the action of Pasqueira.

Marriage Licenses

William John McClurg, 24, production clerk, Hamilton, and Garnet Elhoff, 20, at home, New Boston. Rev. M. H. Bridwell.
Jeff Risner, 21, farmer, Lucasville, and Sadie Hall, 18, domestic, Lucasville. Rev. L. Caudill.
Paul Christian, 21, miner, Lansing, W. Va., and Tressie Atkinson, 20, housekeeper, city. Rev. B. B. Cartwright.
Walker Montgomery, 23, miner, Lucasville, and Delphia Jenkins, 16, housekeeper Lucasville. Rev. John L. Caudill.

SPECIAL WARNING TO THE PUBLIC

C. E. Adams received 450 wool blankets, large size to be sold at \$9.95, formerly \$16.00. No extra charges for credit. Will not last long. Phone 1077. Y and agent will call with samples, or come to sample rooms, 1022 Officers St., 5 to 8 P. M. until sold. If you need any act quick, will not last long. Also 45 heavy comforts, formerly \$12.00, now \$7.95.
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Half Crazy Woman Started Out To Destroy Her Three Children

A visitor Saturday told Mrs. May Tomplin, who resided near Adams county Brush Creek, about ten miles from Manchester, that her husband, William Tomplin, from whom she has been separated several months, intended to begin proceedings to take from her their three small children. Crazy by fear of this happening, Mrs. Tomplin, soon after breakfast this morning, took an axe, and almost chopped off the head of her five year old son, Gillin. She then turned the axe on her three year old daughter, Hazel, but evidently mother love triumphed over her insane fears, and although little Hazel's head was badly cut by the axe the blows lacked force enough to kill, and the physician under whose care she has been placed says she will recover. Two months old Kenneth was not even touched but was left lying asleep in his little bed.

After committing her ghastly deed, Mrs. Tomplin hastily wrote an almost illegible note the tenor of which was, "Good-bye I can not give up my babies." The note she placed under the house going, toward the creek about a mile away. A score of neighbors are now searching along the creek in hope of finding her body. Everyone believes that she drowned herself, after killing her little boy.

Neighbors who noticed the woman hurrying toward the creek went to her house, when they saw she did not return and were greeted by a gruesome sight as they stepped inside. The boy was lying on the floor, virtually beheaded. A trail of blood led clear across the room where a pool had formed. The little girl was lying on the bed, her face covered with blood, and it was first thought she also had been killed. The baby was in its bed, uninjured and asleep.

Neighbors say that Mrs. Tomplin had been despondent over the prospect of keeping her little family together for some time, and when a visitor told her that she had heard her husband wanted to take the children, it was more than her already over-strained nerves could stand. The husband had been paying \$5 a week toward supporting the family, and had made the last payment Saturday.

The coroner and sheriff were notified and are conducting an investigation of the tragedy.

ROBBED WHILE IN GENEVA

GENEVA, November 22.—Miss Ruth Sweetzer, representative of the American suffragist organization has notified the police that while attending the League of Nations, she was robbed of furs valued at \$250.

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REDS MAY GET ALEXANDER

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 22.—All through the Cincinnati baseball club says there is nothing "definite" rumors persist of a big trade between the local club and the Chicago Nationals.

It is that Grob, Neale, Kopf and Ruetter will go to Chicago in exchange for Alexander, Hollister and other Cubs not yet mentioned.

Lecture Postponed

The number of the Elementary school course, Valley Company scheduled for Thursday evening, Nov. 23 has been postponed indefinitely.

Revival At Salem

Rev. S. Smith of this city, completed a successful two weeks' revival service at the United Brethren church at Salem, Sunday night and will begin a similar revival at Salem Thanksgiving night.

Black And Tan Constables Ambushed

LEVAN, COUNTY, MEATH, IRELAND, Nov. 22.—Two "black and tan" constables were ambushed here last night. One was killed and the other dangerously wounded.

Justice Of Peace Kills Self

EDINBURGH, O., Nov. 22.—George W. Chamberlain, justice of the peace, who neglected to have his commission renewed January 1st and married more than two hundred couples and transacted other business in connection with his court without his being licensed, committed suicide at his home here today by cutting his throat with a razor.

DEFLATION HAS NOT YET SPENT ITS COURSE IN CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Fervent trading and new low record prices gave evidence today that the period of deflation had not yet spent its force in the grain market here.

All cereals showed hesitation at the outset this morning but rallies were of brief duration, and were followed by sudden downward plunges that hurried buyers and speculators alike to the lowest level yet this season. Wheat dropped below any price since 1917 and corn and oats to the lowest since 1915.

More than five cents a bushel less than the value of wheat with little more than a single hour. The December delivery changing hands at 1.03 1/4 as against 1.08 1/2 to 1.09 at the finish on Saturday. Cut-

Mme. Schumann Heink To Make Talk To C. of C.

Arrangements for the Chamber of Commerce luncheon to be held Friday noon at which Mme. Schumann-Heink will be the honored guest are going forward rapidly and attempts are being

Branch Office In New Boston

The Bierley Realty Company has who recently returned from a visit to opened a branch office in New Boston his old home in Greece. He will and it will be in charge of Gus Esner, open the office on People's Corner.

Lease New Display Room

The W. E. Tripp Motor company, are converting it into a display room. The room was formerly occupied by the Bank Cafe and was recently purchased by Louis and James Distel.

To Practice In High School Gym

The N. and W. Smoke House football team will practice in the high school gymnasium tonight and Tuesday night in preparation for the game with the Boston Braves at Tronton next Sunday and it is imperative that all members of the team be present.

GRANDVIEW AVENUE CHURCH NEWS

Deacons' meeting tonight at 7 o'clock at the church.

Loyal Workers' Class meets Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. Fillett, 1913 Twentieth street.

Thursday evening the official board will meet at the church.

Friday evening choir rehearsal will be held at the home of Mrs. P. H. Scott, 1913 Twentieth street.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Attendance in Portsmouth Sunday Schools yesterday was as follows:

Trinity 522.

Second Presbyterian 551.

First Christian 922.

Mainly 458.

First Presbyterian 359.

First Evangelical 400.

Bigelow 371.

Kendall Avenue Baptist 96.

First Baptist 321.

Calvary Baptist 163.

Franklin Avenue M. E. 280.

United Brethren 284.

Central Presbyterian 210.

New Boston M. E. 124.

New Boston Baptist 207.

New Boston Christian 150.

REPUBLICANS SPENT OVER 4 MILLION

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—\$4,022,580.00, and receipts amounted to \$3,833,152.14, according to a final report received today by the clerk of the house of representatives from Fred W. Upham, treasurer of the committee.

The report indicated that the committee had incurred a deficit of \$189,428.85.

Brown Is On Trial

Hollis Brown, negro, was brought to trial before Judge Thomas and a jury in Common Pleas court Monday afternoon, on a charge of robbing James Funk, Jackson street carpenter, of his roll containing \$305.

The alleged robbery occurred on Eleventh street on the morning of November 12 last. Brown, taking Funk's money, it was claimed, and ran away. Funk had fallen down and Brown pretended to be assisting him to his feet when he took the roll, according to Funk's story.

The defendant denied getting the money and attempted to show an all-bi by introducing evidence tending to show that the accused was somewhere else at the time and could not possibly have committed the crime. Brown was defended by Attorneys Ralph Ary and Joseph T. Micklethwait and Prosecutor Sheppard represented the state.

Oh Hum! Music And Big Oyster Supper Free

A saxophone quartet is the feature of a fine musical program to be rendered at the oyster supper to be given at the First Christian church Tuesday night at seven o'clock by the Loyal Mens', Loyal Sons' and young mens' classes.

Prof. Frank Appel and Rev. J. B. Hawk will be the speakers. The male chorus will sing at seven o'clock and all members of the chorus are urged to be present.

The committee on arrangements consists of Elmer Fetter, Fred Hamilton and Dennis Thomas.

John Williams is the cook and promises a rare oyster feed for all who attend. The feed is free.

MUTE TEAM IS BOOKED

The strong eleven that represented the Columbus Institute for the Deaf and Dumb this season was booked today to be the opponents of the Smoke House eleven in Millbrook on Thanksgiving Day.

No doubt one of the largest crowds of the season will be out to witness this game as the mutes have a very resourceful team.

The game will be called at 2:30.

Program For Union Services On Thanksgiving Day

The Hilltop group of churches, comprising the Calvary Baptist church, Grandview Church of Christ, Manly M. E. church and Franklin Avenue M. E. church will hold the Union Thanksgiving service on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the Franklin Avenue M. E. church. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. J. F. Severinghaus, of Seymour, Indiana, who is spending the week with his son, the pastor of this church. The program will be as follows:

Organ Prelude.

Hymn by the congregation.

Prayer, Rev. O. H. Gast.

President's Proclamation, Rev. L. M. Kayser.

Antiphon by the church choir.

Scripture lesson, Rev. Charles E. Severinghaus.

Offering and offering.

Sermon, Rev. J. F. Severinghaus.

Prayer, Rev. P. C. Wolfe.

Doxology and benediction.

Deprived Of Right To Drive Car Until January 1

Admitting his guilt of operating his automobile while intoxicated, Allan Richards was deprived of the right to drive his machine again until Jan. 1, by Judge Small in Municipal court Monday. He was also ordered to pay the cost of prosecution.

Richards was arrested Saturday evening after he ran his machine into Frank Voorhes' car on Sixth street.

Busy Week For C. of C.

The following meetings of the committees of the Chamber of Commerce are scheduled for this week:

Monday—Reorganization committee, 3 p.m. New Cemetery Committee 4 p.m.

Tuesday—Board of Directors' Luncheon at the Elks Club, 11:30 a.m. street and alley committee, 3:30 p.m. Hospital committee with the city council, 7 p.m. Forum luncheon, 11:30 p.m.

Coleman Case Continued

When the case of Dave Coleman, West Side man, charged with shooting at with intent to kill Lucy Wallace, wife of Charles Wallace, Dry Run farmer, on the night of November 28 last, was called for trial in Municipal court Monday the defendant failed to appear and Judge Small continued the case until Wednesday. The accused is under \$1,000 bond which will probably be forfeited in event the accused fails again to come into court.

Jones To Remain At Yale

NEW HAVEN, CONN., November 22.—In a review of the football season the Yale News today says the key to the future at Yale is "Ted Jones." It expresses hope that he will stay and says the sentiment of the university is that of "unreserved confidence in his ability to win back Yale's football supremacy of older days."

Committee Meets Wednesday

The Executive Committee of the Bureau of Community Service will hold a meeting and luncheon at the Elks' club Wednesday at 11:30 at which time final results on the recent drive will be given.

Congressman To Discuss Relief For The Farmers

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—Members of congress from agricultural states said today that the plans were being made for a joint meeting of the agricultural committees of the senate and house to soon consider what relief measures can be enacted at this session of congress to relieve the agricultural situation.

Violators Are Dismissed

Judge Small was in fine humor Monday and after listening to the excuses of a number of alleged traffic violators who were charged with failing to keep their tail light burning, dismissal of the auto owners, which included S. Townsend, Everett Rutherford, James Trever, Dudley Nichols, Clyde Hunter, Raymond Pyles and Jesse Williams.

Western Union Seeks Injunction

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 22.—The Western Union Telegraph Company applied to the District of Columbia supreme court today for an injunction to restrain Secretary of the Navy Daniels from interfering in the construction of a telegraph cable between Miami and Miami Beach, Florida.

The Western Union Company declared the cable in course of construction was a replacement of a line, which has been in operation since 1899, that \$100,000 already had been spent in the work and that this expenditure would

go for naught unless the navy department were enjoined from interfering with the completion of the work.

Read Mass Sunday

Rev. Father Welch, a Dominican priest, from Cincinnati, read the mass services at Holy Redeemer Catholic church Sunday.

Keep Smiling.

There is only one way to ward off attack. Make your mind impervious to attack. Joy as the germ of disease can make no impression on a healthy body, so little devils of unhappiness are unable to thrust their brutish faces through an armor of cheerfulness. And remember that others will take heart from your example. The happier you are, the more happiness you create, and the greater is the share of happiness for everybody.—London Daily Express.

SOCIETY

WANTED—To buy tickets to Schumann-Heink concert. Any one wishing to dispose of ticket, please call The Times office, Phone 33, or 446, or bring ticket to office. 22-31

Mrs. Walter Rollins and children of Fullerton, Ky., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hatfield, of South Portsmouth.

The Mothers' Club of Campbell Avenue School will be entertained at the school Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 by the children who have prepared a program. The ladies of the club will hold a candy sale at this time also, so that friends may purchase home-made sweets for Thanksgiving. The neighbors and friends of the school who are interested in the progress of the club are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. J. F. Strayer left today for a visit with his brother, W. D. Strayer, at Marion. Together they will go to their old home at De Graff for a few days' stay.

"Queen Esther's Choice," the pageant successfully given last evening in Bigelow church, was beautifully enacted by the girls of the Junior Missionary Society, reproducing the pageant given at the Lancaster Camp Grounds the past summer. Interspersed with songs, the struggle of choosing between pleasure and service was enacted. Finally choosing service, the girls were shown that the greatest pleasure comes out of service. The characters were trained by Miss Lucille Graham, assisted by Mrs. Terry Davenport and included Katherine Bannan, representing the "Girls," Thelma Stone, "The Spirit of Pleasure," with the attendants Bernice and Eloise Martin, Gladys Selby, "The Spirit of Service," Elizabeth Duduit, representing the "Church"; Lois Gerlach as "Queen Esther" and her attendants, including Margaret Armstrong, Virginia Blake, Helen Hawkins, Anna White, Juanita Ogden, Joanne Pursell, Jean Cole, Olvera Evans, Mary Louise Selby, Margaret Neudecker, Mary Holmes and Mrs. Charles Baggs. The characters were assisted by Misses Bertha Staiger and Ruth Elch, soloists.

Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Jackson of Second street came home last evening from Columbus, where Mrs. Jackson has spent some time recuperating from an automobile accident in which she suffered a broken arm.

The dinner to be served at the Calvary Baptist church Tuesday from 5:00 until 7 o'clock, will include chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes and gravy, baked beans, slaw, hot rolls, jelly, pumpkin pie and coffee.

Mrs. Margaret Fullweiler and Miss Vivian Daniels were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Brown of Tenth street Sunday.

Winston Lane, a superintendent at the N. & W., has gone to Grewe, Va., for a two weeks' visit.

The Portsmouth Choral Society will hold a rehearsal at 7:30 tonight in the library, and all old members and anyone else interested are invited to attend.

Miss Louise Gullik of Cincinnati and Miss Nell Gullik of Portsmouth were the week-end guest of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gullik, and family of South Webster.

Mrs. Hubert Cox and Mrs. Flora Belle Wingo of South Portsmouth were visitors to Greenup Monday.

Miss Jean English, stenographer for the Gilbert Grocery Company, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James English, of South Portsmouth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy White of Helena, Montana and Mr. John Dillon of Columbus are visiting at the home of Mrs. M. H. Bridwell, New Boston.

Miss Della Johnson has returned to her home in South Webster after a visit to local relatives and friends.

Mrs. P. W. Johnson and daughter, Miss Helen have returned to their home in South Webster after a visit to friends here.

To Arrange Schedule

CHICAGO, November 22.—Football coaches of the western conference eleven and athletic directors will meet here December 4 to arrange the schedules for 1921.

Newberry Arguments Advanced

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The supreme court today advanced to next January 3, arguments in the case of Senator Truman Newberry of Michigan and others convicted of violation of the corrupt practices act.

Mr. Jordan At Meeting

Alan N. Jordan is in Zanesville today at the final meeting of the board of United States Army Engineers with reference to the proposed ship canal. Mr. Jordan is the representative of the Portsmouth-Sandusky route.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Rose Kale, 802 Grimes avenue, who has been seriously ill with complications for the past three weeks, is greatly improved.

Harriet Gillilan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Gillilan, who is quarantined at her home 1818 Baird avenue is greatly improved.

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To Undergo Operation

Mrs. Georgia Hopkins of Vanceburg is in Hempstead hospital and will undergo a surgical operation within the next few days.

George Redinger of Rosemount Road who was recently operated upon in Schirman hospital is improving rapidly. He suffered from gall stones.

Local Delegates Heard From

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bardin of Waller street have received a card from W. B. Anderson, a member of Portsmouth's contingent to the World's Sunday School Convention held at Tokyo, in October. The card was dated October 20, at Peking, China, and reads as follows: "We are enjoying strange sights and scenes. The Davis family are all well. Mr. Davis met us at the train. You ought to see this country. All

Portsmouth men will occupy public street have received a card from W. B. Anderson, a member of Portsmouth's contingent to the World's Sunday School Convention held at Tokyo, in October. The card was dated October 20, at Peking, China, and reads as follows: "We are enjoying strange sights and scenes. The Davis family are all well. Mr. Davis met us at the train. You ought to see this country. All

ARRESTED FOR SPEEDING; TWO MEN HELD ON CHARGE OF STEALING CAR

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A LETTER FOR WOMEN

From a Woman Whose Serious Illness Was Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Garnett, Kas.—"I first took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for a complete nervous breakdown following the birth of my oldest child. I got up too soon which caused serious female trouble. I was so weak that I was not able to be on my feet but very little and could not do my housework at all. I had a bad pain in my left side and it would pain terribly if I stepped off a curb-stone. One day one of your booklets was thrown in the yard and I read every word in it. There were so many who had been helped by your medicine that I wanted to try it and my husband went to town and got me a bottle. It seemed as though I felt relief after the second dose, so I kept on until I had taken five bottles and by that time I was as well as I could wish. About a year later I gave birth to a ten pound boy, and have had two more children since and my health has been fine. If I ever have trouble of any kind I am going to take your medicine for I give it all the praise for my good health. I always recommend your medicine whenever I can."

—Mrs. LVA E. SMAY, Garnett, Kansas.

Thus spoke C. D. Smith, aged 28, who, with his pal, Eugene Provence, also of Springfield, was arrested in New Boston Sunday afternoon on a charge of speeding, they being nabbed near the waterworks plant. When taken to the place, station in a wire wheeled sport model "Chandler" they could not explain the fact that they had several license tags, one being a dealer's tag. After being closely questioned by the New Boston authorities Smith confessed stealing the car, the New Boston police say.

"We saw it standing in front of the Elks Club in Springfield and decided to take a ride in it. After we got started we just kept on going," Smith told a Times man last night.

"Where were you bound for?" "We intended stopping in Ashland, where I know some people," Smith replied.

"We see we had a couple of drinks and as there was nothing exciting doing around Springfield we decided to start something and I guess we did," Provence chimed in last night.

"We did not intend to keep the car, but were out for a little job and expected to be back in Springfield Tuesday. The car belongs to a physician in Springfield," Smith said last night.

The fact that the men drove through New Boston at the rate of 40 miles per hour caused their downfall. Smith claims he had no intention of keeping the car. He says he knows the owner well and would have returned the machine to him. New Boston police place little credence in this story and believe the men were headed for West.

Virginia. A charge of grand larceny will be placed against Smith and Provence.

Childish Tasks Important. "Men are but children of a larger growth." In the home the child should have certain regular tasks to perform and should be taught that he must attend to them conscientiously. The care of pets, plants, flowers and of younger children, the responsibility of performing certain household duties develops strength of character.—Exchange.



For the Sudden Hurt

Little injuries if neglected too often lead to great trouble, and an open wound is easily infected. After the wound has been thoroughly cleansed Resinol Ointment is what you want to hasten the healing. It is perfectly pure and harmless. It will neither sting nor irritate no matter how bruised and broken the flesh may be. Carry Resinol with you for the sudden hurt.

Resinol Ointment and its drug Resinol Soap are sold by all druggists.

Resinol

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

The Prayer meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 by the Local Helpers class. Every one is invited. Choir rehearsal will be held this week Wednesday evening after Prayer meeting instead of Friday night. All singers are urged to be present.

Gets 28 Eggs A Day Now, From 34 Hens

C. C. White, Well-Known Breeder, Tells How. Costs Nothing to Try.

"I gave Don Sung to 34 utility Buff Orpingtons and the egg yield increased from 7 to 28 a day. Don Sung is a wonder and I am now giving it to all my hens regularly."—Chas. C. White, Mr. Cherry Hill Farm, Hicksville, Ind.

Mr. White is the well known breeder and exhibitor. He wrote the above letter in December, after his test had shown a gain of 21 eggs a day from 34 hens. We will make you the same offer we made him. Here it is: Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, simply full us and your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) is a scientific tonic and conditioner. It is easily given in the feed, improves the hen's health and makes her stronger and more active. It tones up the egg-laying organs and gets the eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather. You can obtain Don Sung from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer, or send \$1.00 (includes war tax) for a package by mail. Hurst-Duizer Co., 514 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

DON SUNG Chinese for Egg-Laying

Eagles Are Defeated

Saturday night at Wilhelmette Hall the First Presbyterian Tigers beat the Eagles in a hot game of basketball 56 to 48. The Eagles, in the first half were hopelessly outclassed and in the second half the mighty Basemut came to the rescue, but he was not in mid-season form, and Potts, the Tiger center, held him to four baskets. The Tigers are ready to meet any Sunday school team in the city. Call Harry Blake, 746-J. The line-up:

Tigers Pos. Eagles
Evans L F Edwards
Portner R F Doll
Potts C B. Englebrecht
Englebrecht Basemut
Hopkins L G Wilson
Blako R G Walker

Field goals, Evans, 4; Portner, 7; Potts, 5; Hopkins, 2; Blake, 6; Englebrecht, 4; Edwards, 11; Doll, 7.

Makes Hot Water Bottles Last Longer.

To make a hot water bottle last longer and fit the body more comfortably, remove all air from the bottle after filling and before screwing in the stopper, by resting the bottle on a shelf or table, holding the top of the bottle in one hand and gently pressing down until the water comes to the opening. Hold in this position while the stopper is screwed in. The bottle should not be more than two-thirds full.—M. H. S., Iowa.

A Wholesome Fear.

Some highly strung persons, says a medical writer, are even afraid of inanimate objects. This accounts for many nervous people being afraid of venturing too near a plumber.—Punch, London.

ASK FOR and GET

Horlick's

The Original Malted Milk for Infants and Invalids. Avoid Imitations and Substitutes.

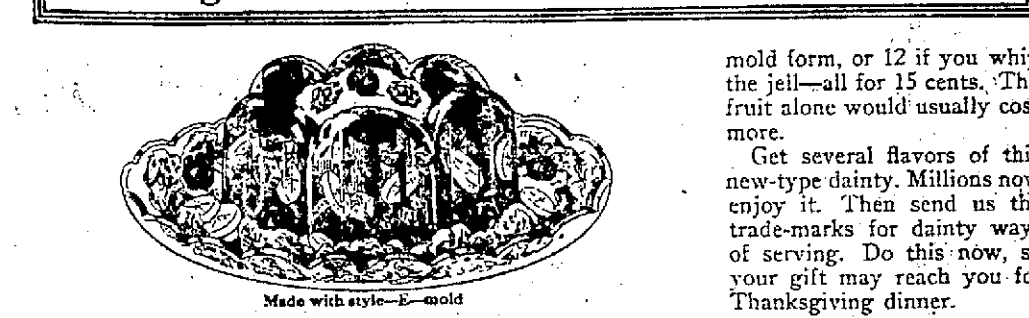
and had just turned to the right to allow another car to pass when the boy and his father walked in front of his machine. He stepped to the right in an endeavor to keep from hitting the youngster but he was struck by the left front fender and knocked to the ground. Mr. Munyon rushed to the boy to Hempstead hospital where he was reported to be in little pain Monday morning.

Couple Caught In Hotel

William Ross and Stella Ross were charged. The couple was found in the Brunswick Hotel, Tenth and Waller streets, locked up at the city jail on statutory charges, according to the arresting officers.

Thanksgiving Offer

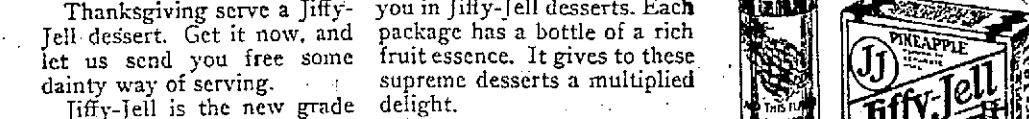
14 gifts to add attractions to the dinner



Fruit Desserts

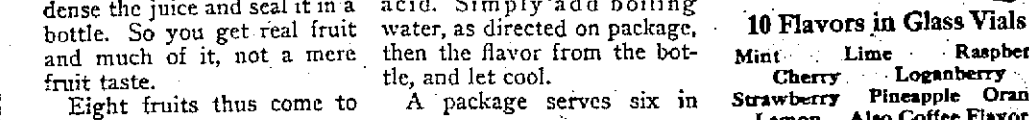
Rich in real fruit, sealed in glass

Thanksgiving serve a Jiffy-Jell dessert. Get it now, and let us send you free some dainty way of serving. Jiffy-Jell is the new grade quick gelatin dessert. Its fruit flavors are rich and real. We crush the fruit, condense the juice and seal it in a bottle. So you get real fruit and much of it, not a mere fruit taste. Eight fruits thus come to you in Jiffy-Jell desserts. Each package has a bottle of a rich fruit essence. It gives to these supreme desserts a multiplied delight. Jiffy-Jell comes ready-sweetened. It comes acidulated with lemon or grape acid. Simply add boiling water, as directed on package, then the flavor from the bottle, and let cool. A package serves six in



Aluminum Dessert Molds

The Individual Molds come in sets of six, assorted styles as above, or all one style. The six will serve a full package of Jiffy-Jell. Send one (1) trade-mark for one mold or six for the set of six. Teaspoon Size.



New-Pattern Dessert Spoons

An exquisite pattern of Wm. Rogers & Son AA silverplate, guaranteed 20 years. No advertising on spoons. Send 2 (2) trade-marks for one spoon, plus 10 cents for postage and packing. Get balance later. Or send 12 (12) trade-marks for six spoons, plus 60 cts. for postage, etc.



Dessert Helps Free

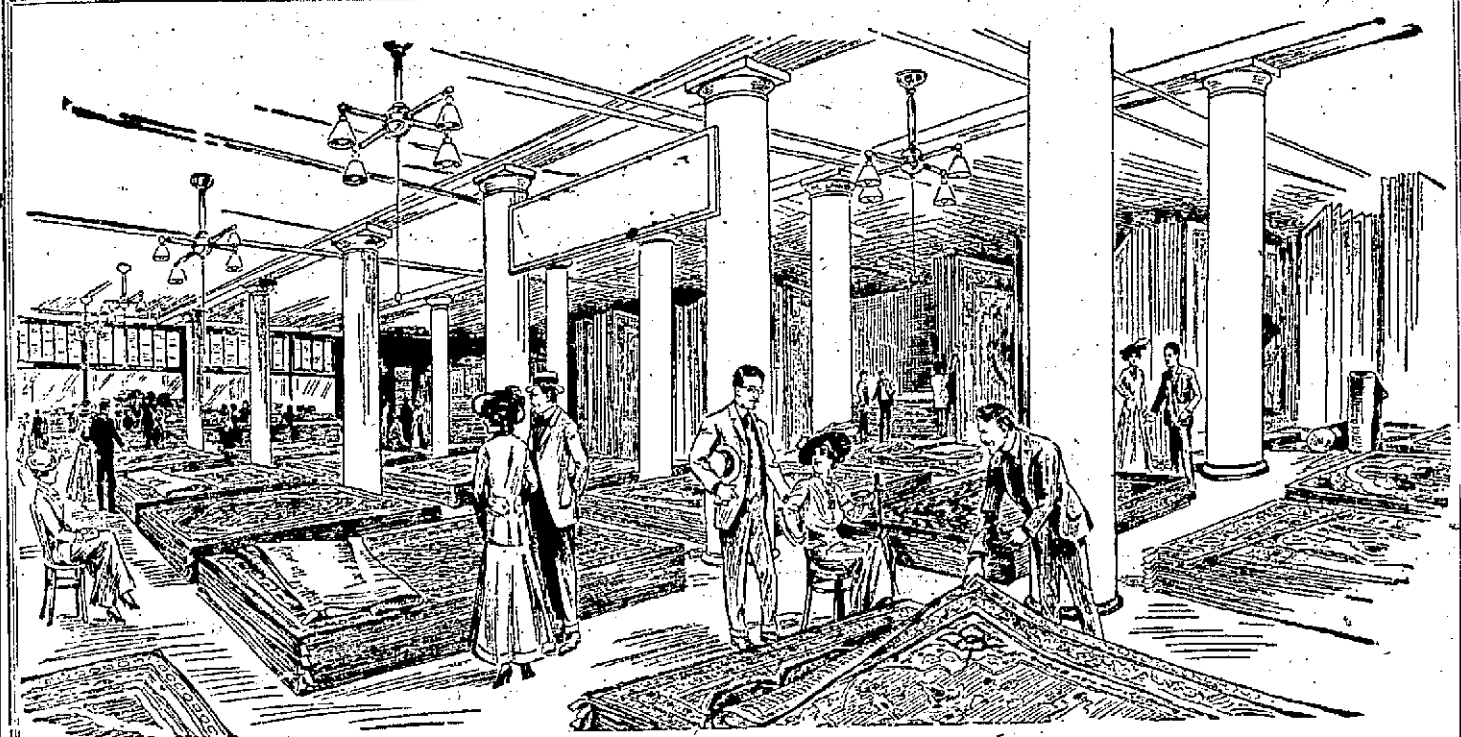
Buy Jiffy-Jell from your grocer. Cut out the (1) trade-marks in circle on front of package. Send us 6 for any pint mold or the set of six individual molds. Send 2 for Jiffy-Cup or 2 and 10 cents for the spoon. The Pint Molds are as follows:

- Style-B—Heart-shaped like Style 3 above.
- Style-C—Fluted like Style 5 above.
- Style-D—Pint Fluted Mold.
- Style-E—Pinnacle Mold—see dessert at top.
- Style-F—Star-shaped.

Check Gifts Wanted: Style-B, Style-C, Style-D, Style-E, Style-F, Set of Six, Jiffy-Cup, Spoon.

Jiffy Dessert Co., Waukesha, Wis. Enclosed find (1) trade-mark for which send gifts I check.

MAIL THIS



NOW! During the transition period from higher to lower prices, with its inevitable readjustments and market fluctuations, is the time for all who are interested in thrift to study values carefully. Hundreds of Customers daily give impressive evidence of the many who pin their faith to Marting's Money Saving Prices. The fame of Marting's Values rests upon nearly a half a century of experience wherein it has been the unswerving policy of this concern to share all advantages with customers in prosperous times and further to lighten conditions in every way possible during difficult years.

Compare These Rug Values With Values Elsewhere

Ask Yourself This Question: What Store Is Famed For Value Giving?

9x12 Whittall Anglo Persian Rugs, best rugs made, reduced to	\$145.00	9x12 Imperial Sarouk fine quality rug reduced to	\$125.00
9x12 Whittall Royal Worcester, fine quality-rug, reduced to	\$115.00	9x12 Whittall Teprue Rug, fine quality, reduced to	\$87.50
9x12 Body Brussel rugs reduced to	\$62.50	9x12 Kashgar Rug, fine quality rug, reduced to	\$85.00
9x12 Seamless Axminster rugs, best quality, reduced to	\$65.00	9x12 Seamless Axminster Rugs, good quality, reduced to	\$48.00
9x12 Seamless Chenille rugs, in tan and rose, reduced to	\$90.00	3x12 Seamless Brussel Rugs, good assortment, reduced to	\$32.50
9x12 Wool Fiber Rugs, extra heavy quality reduced to	\$18.50	20 Per Cent off on all small and odd size rugs.	
Printed Linoleum, burlap back, special at yard	\$1.00	20 Per Cent off on all Draperies, lace curtains, nets, etc.	
Lamps and Lamp Shades greatly reduced. One should view our assortment. We can save you money.		Special prices on all bedding, such as comforts, blankets.	

Do Not Fail To View Our Newly Arrived

Shipment Of Christmas Cedar Chests

UMBRELLA SPECIAL

\$2.50 Value For \$1.49

Just received one hundred umbrellas, short looped handles, fully as good as anything that has been sold recently for \$2.50.

Christmas cards, seals and fancy boxes are now on display.

White Ivory of every description is also ready for your Christmas choosing.

Three large sample books of Christmas greeting cards await your selection.

First Floor

Thanksgiving Specials for Tuesday Selling

Pyrex Pie Plates, special 59c

1 quart round Casserole, regular \$1.75 value, special **\$1.29**

1 1-2 quart round Casserole, regular \$2.00 value, special **\$1.39**

Engraved Pyrex oval dish with handles, size 10x6 1/2 oval round 6 1/2, regular \$1.50 value, special **98c**

Pyrex Bread Pans, size 9 1/8 x 5 1/8 x 2 3/8, regular \$1.00 value, special **72c**

Genuine Savoy Roaster, white enameled ware, worth \$4.00; special for **\$2.98**

Down Stairs Store

CARLOAD OF TANLAC IS ORDERED FOR OHIO

Now Conservatively Estimated That Ohio Will Require Over 20,000 Bottles For December And January Business Alone.

ALL RECORDS SMASHED SAY BIG DRUG FIRMS

Wonderful Success Preparation Has Achieved Here Has Far Exceeded All Expectations.

Announcement has just been made by the Orr, Brown and Price Co., Columbus, the well-known wholesale druggists that they have ordered a solid carload of Tanlac, containing 6,000 bottles, to supply the large and rapidly growing demand for this well-known medicine in Portsmouth and surrounding territory.

The fact that approximately 56,000 bottles of Tanlac have been sold and distributed in Ohio during the past twelve months, is a business item that will, no doubt, attract attention and be read with widespread interest.

As a matter of fact, Tanlac has already become the sensation of the drug trade in the United States and Canada. In the entire history of the drug trade in this country no other medicine has ever made a record worthy of comparison with the truly phenomenal sales record made by Tanlac.

The greatest drug firms of the country have voluntarily come forward and stated in cold, plain figures the record breaking sales everywhere. The enormous popularity of Tanlac is the one great outstanding proof of its merit. No remedy of less than superlative quality could possibly attain such a huge sales record nor gain, as has Tanlac, the unqualified endorsements of thousands of well-known men and women who stand for the best in their communities.

The greatest test of any medicine is the "repeat" sales it enjoys. Tanlac's phenomenal record has been possible because of the fact that men and women who buy one bottle invariably return for the second. Tanlac accom-

INDIANA FIRM ORDERS IT BY THE CARLOAD

The following letter has been received from Keifer Stewart Co., of Indianapolis, one of the largest and best-known drug houses in America, which gives ample evidence of the rapidly growing and widespread popularity of Tanlac.

Tanlac company, Fourth National Bank Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

Tanlac continues to hold the rank of undisputed leader in this territory and the increasing sales after Tanlac has been the sensation of our trade for nearly two years is most phenomenal. Undoubtedly, it is giving entire satisfaction everywhere, and it is something that has come to stay. We say this because our best trade is in the districts where it has been in use the longest.

In the short period of nineteen months time we have given you orders for 208,202 bottles, thus breaking all records for this city.

Very truly yours,
KEIFER STEWART CO.

lishes actual results and so, almost at once, wins the firm faith of its takers.

In just a little over five years' time approximately 16,000,000 bottles of Tanlac have been sold, an average of almost one bottle for every family in America. This record eclipses any achievement of the past in the field of medicine, and it becomes all the more remarkable when it is realized that Tanlac is sold only through duly authorized agents.

A further proof of the extreme popularity of Tanlac is the fact that it has now become necessary to have it shipped here in original carload lots and it is conservatively estimated that this market will require approximately 20,000 bottles for December and January business alone.

Tanlac is sold in Portsmouth by the Fisher and Strech Pharmacy and the leading druggists in every town.—ad-

EXPLAINING TARPON FISHING TO GOLF ENTHUSIASTS



COURT HOUSE

Demurrer Overruled

Judge Thomas Monday overruled the defendant's demurrer to the plaintiff's reply in the case of The Grace Contracting company against The C. and O. Northern Railway company, which makes it certain that the case will come to trial on Dec. 1 as assigned.

The plaintiff is seeking to recover almost a quarter of a million dollars as damages and for extras for work in connection with its contract of building the railroad through part of Scioto and Pike counties.

Quite an array of legal talent including Attorneys Frank Dinsmore and Floyd Williams, Cincinnati; Miller and Seard of this city, for plaintiff and Attorney Paul C. Reeder, Columbus, and Henry T. Bannan and A. Z. Blair for defendant, will appear in the case, the trial which is expected to consume three weeks. The case will be heard by Judge Thomas and a jury.

Road Bid Rejected

County Engineer Arthur Harwood has been advised that because of some irregularity the bid of The S. Monroe Co. company on the proposed two mile piece of paving on the Portsmouth-Oak Hill road, has been rejected by the State Advisory Board of the State Highway department.

While no definite word has been received here Engineer Harwood is confident that the bid of the Monroe company on the contract of paving two miles on the Portsmouth-Jackson road and that of Arthur Simpson for building three miles of waterbound gravel road on the Portsmouth-Lucasville western route will be accepted by the board.

Suit in Partition

A suit to partition the real estate consisting of all farm containing 176 acres in Blount township, left of the estate of Catherine Isabel Holman, who died Aug. 30, 1910, was filed in Common Pleas court Monday by Stephen E. Holman through Attorney Theo. K. Funk against George E. Holman and other heirs.

Under a will left by Mrs. Holman it was provided, it is claimed, the farm should be sold as soon as it could be to advantage and the proceeds divided equally between her nine children, but pending the sale Frank Holman and Tillie and Emma Holman were to have possession of the farm together with all the personal property and appurtenances.

The plaintiff now complains that Tillie Holman, who is the sole occupant of the farm, he says, has at all times refused to consent to a sale of the land, although good prices have been offered for it. He further asserts the farm is depreciating in value for want of proper care and cultivation and says the sale of it would be a benefit to all the beneficiaries under the will.

The defendants to the suit not already named are Charles Holman, South Webster; Frank Holman, Sciotoville; Mrs. Emma Gallagher, city; Mrs. Cassie Walker, South Webster; Mary Holman and Ella Hitchcock, Los Angeles, Calif.

Sues For Specific Performance

Specific performance of contract is sought by Mary E. Galloway in a suit instituted in Common Pleas court Monday through Attorney A. C. Woodrow against Elizabeth and Stephen McGraw.

In her bill of complaint the plaintiff says that the defendants were the owners of a tract of land containing 21 acres in Washington township and she was the owner of a house and lot at Beaverly, Ky., and on February 1, 1920, they entered into an agreement to exchange properties. The plaintiff now claims that she has faithfully kept her part of the agreement but declares the defendants refuse to carry out their part of the contract.

Talking Machine Case Appealed

A transcript from the docket of Squire William McManes, New Boston in the case of R. P. Seiler against Sanford Crum was filed in Common Pleas court Monday.

Seiler brought replevin proceedings in the lower court, to gain possession of a talking machine but on the trial, of the case the jury which heard the evidence returned a verdict for the defendant. The plaintiff is now carrying the case to the higher court on appeal.

Marriage Licenses

William John McClurg, 24, production clerk, Hamilton, and Garnet Elhoff, 20, at home, New Boston. Rev. M. H. Bridwell.

Jeff. Duser, 21, farmer, Lucasville and Sadie Hall, 18, domestic, Lucasville. Rev. John L. Canfield.

Paul Christian, 21, miner, Lansing, Va., and Tressie Atkinson, 20, housekeeper, city. Rev. B. B. Cartwright.

Walker Montgomery, 23, miner, Lucasville and Delphia Jenkins, 16, housekeeper, Lucasville. Rev. John L. Canfield.

NEW BOSTON

Section Three of the Christian church will meet Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Randolph Smith of Grace street, instead of Thursday, on account of Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnice Meek of Stanton avenue had as guests at dinner yesterday their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Meek and family.

Billy, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Burnice Meek, of Stanton avenue, who has been ill, is recovering.

Don't forget the "Old Maids' Club," which will be given this evening in the Glenwood high school auditorium. Come and enjoy the evening.

The regular meeting of the D. of A. will be held this evening at the hall on Gallia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Birch Hunt of Grace street spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. N. Collins, of Greenup.

The Lane of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cassidy, of Rhodes avenue was the scene of a pretty party Friday, when their daughter, Miss Lillian, entertained a number of friends. Music and games were indulged in, after which refreshments were served by Mrs. Cassidy, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Eldred Calvert. The delightful evening was enjoyed by the following: Misses Estel Huffman, Margaret Abrams, Zola Kiser, Myrl Duncan, Imogene Sullivan, Doris Armstrong, Eva Banton, Edith Cooper, Bertram Grandison, Emma Cottle, Lillian Cassidy, Messrs. Eliza Brown, Ray Young, Howard Platt, George McNay, Floyd Metzler, Clarence Metzler, Thomas Powell, James Taylor and Ollie Cassidy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lander entertained with a six o'clock dinner last evening at their home on Rhodes avenue. Covers were laid for the following guests, his mother, Mrs. B. F. Lander, and son, John, of Pine street, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mantel, daughters Mayme and Lollie and son, Ralph, of Portsmouth.

While preparing dinner yesterday, Mrs. Guy Smith had her arms and face badly burned when the gas in the oven exploded. Dr. G. W. Cheney was called and dressed the burns.

Joseph Walke is very ill at his home on Stanton avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Willis of Stanton avenue had as guests yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kitchen of Gallia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schneider of Harrisonville avenue entertained at six o'clock dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Clark and daughter, Elizabeth and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hartz and daughter, Mildred of Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. William Middaugh and little granddaughter, Kathleen Meek, Albert Middaugh of Minnesota spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hall of Harport Road.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet Friday evening instead of Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Preston Bussey, of Stanton avenue. All members are asked to be present.

Clay Rice of Rhodes avenue spent Sunday with home folks at Garrison.

On Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler, of Pine street.

On Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 the women of Mrs. W. H. McClurg's class of Trinity church will meet with the women of the M. E. church. All women of the church are urged to attend.

The churches of the village will unite in a Thanksgiving service, which will be held at the Christian church, Wednesday evening.

Rev. Robert Abner will lead the singing, while Rev. M. H. Bridwell, will have charge of the devotions. The address will be made by Rev. C. A. Hughes. Every one should attend this service.

On Thursday evening a Thanksgiving prayer service will be held at the M. E. church. Scripture verses containing the word "thanks" will be given by each one at this meeting.

Mrs. Mary Chamberlain spent Sunday with her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Anson Chamberlain of Waits Station.

Walter Alles of Portsmouth filled the pulpit at the Christian church last evening and gave a very interesting talk. On next Sunday morning L. J. Canfield, of Cleveland will speak.

Immanuel Baptist Church Notes

Some People Have A Hard Time Of It

Trying To Get Along With Low Vitality and Weak Blood

Not Fair To Themselves

Pepto-Mangan Builds Rich Red Blood and Restores Strength

If you want to succeed in your work—get to the top, look first to your health. Be physically fit. Keep your blood in condition.

If your blood is bad, you lose enthusiasm. Little things bother you. Instead of concentrating on your work, you drowse. You try to pull yourself together. It takes all your energy to do just average work.

Perhaps your blood has become clogged with poisons. You are just beginning to feel it. You need the good blood tonic, Pepto-Mangan. It contains ingredients that feed your blood and purify it. You get more red corpuscles. Then your energy comes back and you eat better, feel better and look better. It shows in your daily work. You get things done without exhausting yourself. You get back to normal—the way you should be.

There is but one genuine Pepto-Mangan and that is "Gude's." It is put up in both liquid and tablet form. Each has the same medicinal value. Ask your druggist for "Gude's" and look for the name "Gude's" on the package. If it is not there, it is not Pepto-Mangan.—adv.

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

The Ladies Union of the Christian church will meet at the church on Friday afternoon.

Choir practice at the Christian church will be held Wednesday evening instead of Friday evening. Notice the change in time.

Frances Hanks of Ashland is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith of Eastern avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curry had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sexton of New Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bolander, son, Russell and daughter Lucile and Frank Hickman spent to Kronton yesterday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Bolander.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zwickert had as guests Sunday their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. John Houshins of Portsmouth.

John Dorrough of the Great Lakes Naval Training school is home for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Dorrough. He is looking fine and says he is well pleased with life in the navy.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday for an all day meeting in the Sunday school rooms to quilt and to sew on the articles for the Christmas sale. All members and their friends are invited to attend. Each one is asked to bring her lunch, needles and thread.

A Thanksgiving service will be held Thursday morning at the M. E. church. Following this breakfast will be served in the basement by the members of the choir.

Mrs. Robert Todd, (Emma Bettine), of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Martha Bettine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and children, John Clay and Marion of Eastern avenue, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith, near Lucasville.

WHEELERSBURG

Ms. and Mrs. Albert Hilliard will have as Thanksgiving guest her niece, Miss Lena Phylax, of Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McCormick and family of Burke's Point spent Sunday with relatives in Linwood, Sciotoville.

The Standard Reapers of the M. E. church will meet Friday evening at the home of Miss Golda Schneider of Dogwood Ridge.

The Mizpah Class of the M. E. church will meet Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Frank Prediger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. D. Masier of Portsmouth, Mrs. Corn Davis of South Portsmouth and J. C. West of Silvergrove, Ky., were the dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Wade of Harport.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goshelmer of Dogwood Ridge spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Preston.

Mrs. G. A. Preston and Mrs. D. W. Vanhook were shopping in Portsmouth today.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hall of Harport were had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. William Middaugh and grand-daughter, Kathleen, of New Boston, and Albert Middaugh of Minnesota.

FAMILY TONIGHT

Harry T. Morey
In The Feature Play
"The Sea Raider"

Also Eddie Polo Serial

Splendid attendance yesterday and already plans are laid for a greater next Sunday.

The Young Peoples choir was organized Friday evening with Miss Anna Emory as president, Miss Marie Sew as vice president, and Clyde See as Sec-Treas. This choir made its appearance at the services yesterday. The Intermediate choir will be organized this week.

The Young People's Society had its first meeting last evening with an overflowing attendance. Group I will have charge next Sunday evening with the subject, "America's Genius for Assimilation."

The training classes will not meet this week.

The W. W. G. girls will meet Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Blanch Hodge 4126 Taft St.

The congregation will unite with the other congregations of the city in the Union Thanksgiving service at the Ohio avenue Christian church on Wednesday evening.

The Choirs will meet for rehearsal at the church on Friday evening.

STUFF O' DREAMS

By CRAWFORD LUTTRELL

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She unfolded the scrap of yellowed paper, punctured with pin holes, and read again, after a lapse of eighteen years, the words that had accompanied a fraternity emblem sent her in the faraway days of youth. "As this 'Star and Crescent' binds thousands of hearts together in the United States, so may it bind our eternal friendship,"—M. M." He had underscored the words "hearts" and "our."

She had gone back home on a visit and, following the proverbial rule of rummaging the "litter" on a rainy day in search of entertainment, had found by chance a packet of old letters that she thought had been burned before she married and went away. The little fraternity pin that had graced her schoolgirl blouse had been fastened through that scrap of paper.

At the thought, memory turned the tide of time backward and she saw herself, a long-legged, big-eyed girl standing timidly at a window in the post office, asking for a package.

Clare looked through the little dormer window at the gentle, soaking summer rain. Mechanically she opened one of the old letters, still bravely flaunting the crimson and black of his college colors. He had written with the ardent assistance of twenty-one that he could never love anybody else and that her influence would mold his life. She could make of him what she would. Age had his compensation, she reflected. She could never blindly trust again, never be hurt by the sharp blade of disillusionment whose keen edge only time could wholly dull. She looked at life through the fading eyes of thirty-five. They were too worldly wise to glimpse visions of such stuff as dreams are made of!

It was when she was passing through the hill below on her way to her room to freshen up a bit before dinner that she heard a deep, musical voice inquiring for her at the front door. Thinking that it was an old-time neighbor, she went quickly downstairs.

She recognized him immediately, although the slowness of youth had given place to the rotundity of middle age. His black hair was thinning. Only his eyes and his voice were the same.

"How very much like a fairy story this is!" she laughed when they were seated in the candle-light of old parlor. "I have been in the attic all the afternoon. I found some of your old letters there and a little yellowed slip of paper which still bears the pin holes of the fraternity emblem you sent me long ago."

"I still have that pin," he said and looked at her without smiling. "It is locked in a little black box in my desk."

She laughed, although her lips were not quite steady in her mirth. "It has been so long since those far days when we flirted and pretended to know all about love. Oh, well, I rode for a hard fall and the tumble was sufficiently painful to guard against another one."

"You aren't bitter?" He leaned forward, his disconcerting brown eyes never wavering from her face. "You wouldn't be, if you were."

"You don't believe, surely, that this aging shell covers the girl you used to know, Milton? She died, ever so long ago."

"She couldn't die," he corrected her, and his eyes smiled as they had smiled, warm and waking her heart years before. "Tell me about yourself, everything," he urged.

"She twisted the narrow gold band on her finger. "There is really nothing to tell. I've had quite an average life."

"You married—let me see—how long ago?" he questioned.

"Fifteen years."

"She was wholly unprepared for what followed. "Clare, I am sure that you and your husband, too, will understand what I am about to say to you. It would be foolish not to refer to my love for you—it has played too important a part upon my life. Your abiding faith made me what I am, and today I stopped off here, in your little home town, to try to get your present address in order to write to you and gratefully acknowledge all that I have been privileged to tell you."

"Your wife—"

"I told her, before she died, just what I am telling you."

"I hadn't heard, Milton. I'm sorry—you must know—"

She wondered what to say to him, and, finding no words, sat silent, clasped hands in her lap. He rose to go. "Surely your husband will not mind my pilgrimage here to tell you this, to thank you for the beautiful part you have played in the great scheme of things for me. The human equation—no man escapes it or wants to escape it," he amended. "I believe my train goes in a short time. I will have to say good-by now, although I say it reluctantly."

"He would have been glad," she whispered, sudden tears coursing down her flushing cheeks. "If he could know."

"Then he—"

"I have been a widow, Milton, for many, many years."

"Would you mind," he asked, gently, taking her hands in his, "if I stayed over and waited for another train?"

She looked up at him and something deep in his brown eyes that the years had failed to change, made her know that even at thirty-five one can believe in the passer-by of such stuff as dreams are made of.

Trouble Hunters.

According to the dispatches 30,000 Germans will soon leave the Fatherland for Mexico. Haven't they had enough trouble yet?

Irritating Coughs

Promptly treat coughs, colds, hoarseness, bronchitis and similar inflamed and irritated conditions of the throat with a tested remedy

PISO'S

How to Keep Rubber Soft.

A prominent tire manufacturer says that an excellent way to prevent hardening of inner tubes when they are stored for the winter is to place them in hot water once a month or every two weeks. They should be immersed for just a couple of minutes, and should then be carefully dried and put away. This treatment serves to keep the rubber pliable and soft.

JESSICA

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD.

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So this was the answer! Jessica folded the bit of paper, her lip curled scornfully. "Well, any one who sends up her letters to such a careless fashion certainly needed a secretary. Here she had been waiting and waiting for a reply to the long letter she had sent her aunt, and now had come this brief note addressed to the head of some vocational bureau asking said head to 'Please secure me, as soon as possible, an efficient secretary, not too prepossessing in appearance.'"

Jessica had spent her life in a dry western town with her invalid father. Released by his death from years of tedious if affectionate devotion, she had followed his last wishes and written to his sister in New York, from whom he had not heard in many years. A note requesting a secretary! Efficient—but not prepossessing. That was an odd requirement, mused Jessica. Aunt Louisa had no sons.

Started at the idea which occurred to her, she jumped up, ran to the dresser and leaned toward the mirror, undoing with rapid fingers her gold-tinted, softly curling hair.

Two weeks later Aunt Louisa, a vigorously intellectual woman, sat in her library interviewing a simply gown, sober-eyed young woman who had presented herself as applicant for the secretaryship.

"The only trouble," said the aunt, "is that when you smile—well, you show possibilities. To be quite frank, my dear young lady, I am through with attractive secretaries. With me lives my ward, the son of an old friend, and although an estimable young man, I may say that he has an eye for beauty. My last secretary was one of those flighty, blue-eyed—baby dolls, as they say, and—but you understand what I am getting at."

Never before had Jessica been so happy as she was in the days that followed.

Then home came Slade Tremont. And if Aunt Louisa had seen possibilities in Jessica, no less did Slade.

"I say, Miss Boardman, why don't you wear your hair more—more fluffy or something?" he asked the second morning of his arrival.

"Please do not be personal, Mr. Tremont," said Jessica, coldly. For the first time in his young life Slade was hard hit.

The afternoon that Slade announced his intention of running out to Boston for a day or two, her aunt also decided to visit a friend who had a model farm in the country. Jessica, left in charge of the house, yielded to a sudden whim to forget for a moment that she was the very plain Deborah Boardman.

Going to her room, she took out her one frilly, feminine gown, and laid it on the bed. Then, her eyes sparkling, she did up her hair, not as she had worn it in the old days, but in the latest, most daring coiffure she had observed in the fashionable city.

Ah, this animated woman with the smiling lips, the soft throat rising from the lace collar—this was not the unprepossessing Deborah—nor yet the old Jessica! This was a quite new person, touched with the magic wand of love!

Jessica ran lightly down the stairs and out into the garden. She drank in the permeating fragrance, lifted her head, and looked straight into the eyes of Slade Tremont!

"I beg your pardon—why, Miss Boardman—you!" The look of surprise on Slade's face became one of puzzled, but happy bewilderment. "You wonderful, wonderful girl. I got as far as the station and came back to tell you I loved you. And I adore you!"

Jessica's eyes filled with happy love—then fell.

"My darling," said Slade. "My darling Deborah."

"Otherwise Jessica," interrupted a voice dryly.

"You!" cried Slade.

"Just me," said Aunt Louisa. "I came home for something I had forgotten. I found more than I expected—wait!" She lifted a hand to ward off Jessica's.

"She rushing explanations. 'But not more than I hoped. My ward has given me several uneasy moments—yes, you have, Slade—and when you, Jessica, wrote to me, it occurred to me that you might be just the wife for my ward. But how to tell if you were? So I tried that little ruse of apparently unasked letters. Thought I to myself, if the girl is worth anything and clever, she'll see the chance and take advantage of it, and I will get a light on her real self. Didn't you ever wonder why you didn't hear again, or why the position wasn't filled before the case came?'"

"Yes," murmured Jessica, "of course, but—"

"Exactly," continued her aunt. "So, I wanted Slade to see you under the least favorable circumstances. If, then, he fell in love, I would be sure it wasn't just with a pretty face, although yours is pretty enough," she concluded graciously.

"I can't thank you enough," began Jessica, but her aunt, perhaps not aware of her irrepressible ward's hinting glance and gestures toward the house, moved slowly away.

Orgy Of Killing In Dublin

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A strong stand against reprisals, and hold the government largely responsible for these attacks by the uniformed forces, take occasion to renew their insistence that reprisals must be stopped. The London Times, for instance, while vehemently denouncing the murders of the officers, expresses belief that the strength of the Irish executive would be ten times greater in this emergency but for "an army of perilously undisciplined and a police force arrogantly beyond control, which have been decimated by the heinous acts of England's reputation."

Ministers responsible for the administration in Ireland, were called to meet this morning to discuss the situation. Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, and Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary of state for war, who is responsible for the movements of the army in Ireland, were in constant telephonic communication with Dublin Sunday.

Not less than fourteen men are dead in the attacks arranged simultaneously over the city Sunday morning. The method was the same in each case and all the men assassinated were officers or former officers, or otherwise in the service of the government.

Small bodies of men numbering generally from six to eight, presented themselves at various houses, called their victims out, or entered and shot their victims in bed, while dressing or at breakfast.

The districts in which the murders were committed were in some instances close together, others were separated by miles, but all the assassinations took place at the same hour, 9 o'clock, in the morning.

Machine Guns Turned On Football Crowd

In the afternoon, while a football match was in progress at Croke Park, sixteen lorries filled with auxiliary police moved swiftly up and surrounded the place. Accounts differ as to what happened, when, after mounting machine guns on heights above, the police broke through the gates. The auxiliaries were hoisted, and, according to eye-witnesses, first fired in the air and then into the crowd. It is declared from another source that Sinn Féin pickets first fired on the government forces when they were seen approaching and that the fire was returned.

Within the park the great assembly of 15,000 became panic-stricken. How many were killed is not known as yet, but the estimates range from 10 to 30 or more. Several were reported to have been trampled to death.

The streets of Dublin on Sunday night were deserted in the morning hours. Those who had planned the murder of the officers and government employees, moved systematically to their tasks. They completed the assassinations with dispatch and all made their escape.

The Gresham hotel was the scene perhaps of the greatest daring and the raid was carried out by 20 men with the utmost care. The Gresham is on Sackville street and is one of the best known hotels in Dublin. In this place two former officers were done to death.

Following fast upon the murders there was great military and police activity and houses were raided in search of the criminals. All motor traffic was ordered stopped and all train services in and out of Dublin were suspended. The city was given over to terrified apprehension as armed cars and lorries filled with "Black and Tans" raced through the streets.

The assassinations occurred in various parts of the city at 9 o'clock this morning. In one case, three of the assassins captured two "Black and Tans" while they were on their way to reinforce the troops, and killed them.

Kills Court Martial Officers

The dead include two court martial officers. Early this morning, Captain Fitzgerald, a military officer, was shot in his bed in Earlsfort Terrace. A quarter of an hour later two officers were shot in their beds in Pembroke street, a quarter of a mile away, and dangerously wounded.

Three men, suspected of being secret service agents, likewise were attacked and shot while asleep in Hampton street and still another man in lower Mount street was shot.

Captain Donald Maclean and a man named Smyth, the owner of a house, and another man named Caldwell were shot in a house in Donaghmore. Captain Maclean was killed instantly and Smyth died in a few minutes. Caldwell is believed to have been fatally wounded.

At a house in Baginbode street Captain Newbury was shot by five men. In the Gresham hotel, two former officers were shot dead in a fight. In Mount street two men are reported to have been killed and a civilian wounded.

During the excitement in Mount street "Black and Tans" in a lorry heard cries for help and answered them. A fierce encounter ensued between Irish volunteers and "Black and Tans," in which two of the "Black and Tans" were killed and several volunteers wounded.

List Of Killed And Wounded

The official list of those killed in the murder raid follows:
Major Dowling, Captains D. L. MacLean, Newbury, Bagally, Fitzgerald and Price, former Captain P. McGormick and Messrs. Bennett, Ames, Mahon, T. H. Smith and L. A. White, Captains Gurin and Morris of the royal Irish constabulary were found dead in a garden after they had failed in an attempt to reach the garrison to spread the alarm of the massacre.
The wounded are:
Colonels Woodcock and Montgomery, Captain Kinnelly and Messrs.



R. W. ANDERSON
Silks And Dress Goods

I'm Going To Make This A Banner Week In The Sale Of Textiles

I Say You Can't Beat These Prices On Silks And Dress Goods

CREPE DE CHINE, 38 inches wide, sale price \$1.98.

BLACK BAHONET SATIN, 40 inches wide, only \$2.98.

GOETZ SATIN yard wide, reduced to \$2.69.

GOETZ TAFFETA, yard wide navy and brown, special \$2.50.

FANCY LINING SATINS, yard wide, at \$1.79.

PLAIN LINING SATIN yard wide, at \$1.98.

GEORGETTE CHEPE, 40 inches wide, reduced to only \$1.40.

SILK JERSEY, 60 inches wide, during sale at \$4.08.

SILK JERSEY, yard wide, in navy and brown, special \$2.70.

WASH SATIN, yard wide in white and pink, at \$1.39.

SILK AND COTTON POPLIN, yard wide, special 85c.

SILK AND WOOL POPLIN, 40 inches wide, special a \$1.39.

SATIN CREPE, 40 inches wide, in all good colors, at \$4.

SATIN MESSALINE, yard wide, in all good shades, special \$1.79.

BLACK MESSALINE, yard wide, special \$1.40.

BLACK DUTCHESS SATIN, yard wide, special \$1.08.

SILK DUVETIN, 39 inches wide, in best shades, sale price \$8.50.

PONGEE SILK, 32 inches wide, reduced to \$1.10.

These Prices On Cottons Will Make Things Hum

OUTING FLANNEL, 27 inches wide, lights at 25c. Darks at 25c.

COTTON DRESS CHALLIES, 32 inches wide, at 20c.

KIMONO CREPE, 31 inches wide at 40c.

KIMONO SILK, yard wide, at \$1.19.

MERGERIZED POPLINS, 27 inches wide, at 50c.

SILK AND COTTON MULL, yard wide at 59c.

BLUE BIRD LINGERIE BATISTE, 32 inches wide at 40c.

KRINKLED LINGERIE CREPE, 32 inches wide, at 40c.

DEVONSHIRE CLOTH, 32 inches wide at 49c.

KIDDIE AND ROMPER CLOTH, 32 inches wide, at 44c.

UTILITY GINGHAMS, 27 inches wide at 25c yd.

RATES AND TOILE DU NORD GINGHAMS, 27 inches wide at 30c.

RENFREW AND BATES GINGHAMS, 32 inches wide at 45c.

EVENETT CHEVIOT GINGHAMS, 27 inches wide at 25c.

FINE IMPORTED GINGHAMS, 32 inches wide at 60c.

LANCASTER APRON GINGHAMS, 27 inches wide at 17c.

U. S. Ready To Recognize Mexico

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Wilsonian policy. Under that line of reasoning some of Harding's friends hope the problem will not be on the White doorstep after March 4. Unquestionably there are some interests which are counselling the Mexicans to delay a settlement beyond March 4 because the interests really believe military intervention can best be brought about under a Republican Administration. Our State Department is aware of some of these subtle processes which are not at all friendly either to what is believed here to be post-ponement of December 15 payment

of the real desire of a man like President Harding. On the trip to the Southern border the dispatches have conveyed the impression that Mr. Harding too wants an amicable settlement of disputes with Mexico. Must Settle It Themselves, Wilson's View

President Wilson's viewpoint throughout the last eight years has been that eventually the Mexicans would themselves straighten out their affairs and that the chaos of revolution was not likely to be removed in a decade as witness the slow processes by which Russia is struggling for self-possession. There is no doubt that the present occupant of the White House would like to round out his term with the Mexican problem on the road to settlement. Men who are planning new business enterprises and development are waiting for the act of recognition. Nevertheless the department of State is firm in its determination that something better than promises must be forthcoming this time before recognition is extended. If the Mexicans are misled into thinking they can get easier terms with the next Administration in Washington, especially when it probably will take a long time before the Harding Administration will be ready to tackle Mexican matters on account of the press of other questions, then the disposition here is to let the Mexicans who advise such a course bear the consequences. The whole thing is up to the Mexicans. There are no insuperable obstacles.

Discontinue Postponement of Taxes
WASHINGTON — Suggestions for processes which are not at all friendly either to what is believed here to be post-ponement of December 15 payment

of income and excess profits taxes discouraged in treasury statement.

FAMED JUSTICE DIES
RICHMOND, VA. — John Peter Critchfield, famed as justice in "Justice John's court," is dead.

Rest Your Stomach

New Treatment for Dyspeptics

Stop abusing your poor defenseless stomach. Don't dose it with drugs and pills. If you suffer from indigestion, try Nature's own cure, which is the treatment now advocated by medical science. "Give your overworked stomach a rest," the doctors say. In this new rest cure for stomach ills, Lenitone, The Corrective Food, is used with great success. Lenitone is a peculiarly bland and non-irritating food which does not tax the digestive organs unduly—as do ordinary foods—yet it is packed with nourishment.

You take Lenitone with milk or water in beverage form. It is delicious. Buy it from your druggist. Prescribed uses given in the pamphlet enclosed with every package. Excellent for undernourished children, infants, and convalescents. The Lenitone Laboratories, Cleveland, Ohio.

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Shoes and Haberdashery

If You Want Shoe Specials, Come Now To My Shoe Sale

If You Beat These Shoe Specials You Are A Dandy

Hundreds and hundreds of pairs of women's footwear and I have put the short clippers to the prices. I've seen sales of all kinds in my time but never a one quite so unique as this, where profits were to be entirely ignored. I've marked the special prices on this footwear and I know. Just look at these:

WOMEN'S BOOTS, three hundred pairs in a lot, made up of broken assortments from all our high priced lines. Your choice only \$4.95.

WOMEN'S FINE BLACK KID LACE BOOTS, leather or celluloid heels in \$12 and \$15 values, now special at \$7.45.

WOMEN'S BLACK SUEDE BOOTS, best sellers in the big cities. \$12 grades special for \$7.45.

WOMEN'S BEAVER BROWN BOOTS, French heels, welt soles, \$15 for only \$9.95.

WOMEN'S BEST BROWN KID BOOTS, cream of the shoe making, \$20 values now \$10.

WOMEN'S BROWN CALF BROGUE BOOT, military heel, welt soles \$18.50 for \$15.50.

WOMEN'S BROWN CALF BROGUE OXFORDS, to be worn in winter with Heather Wool hose, \$11 for \$8.45.

WOMEN'S HEAVY BROWN CALF BROGUE OXFORDS, welts, wear like iron, \$16.00 value special at \$13.30.

WOMEN'S FIELD MOUSE KID LACE BOOTS, beautiful leather, were \$12, now special at \$7.50.

ARCHPRESERVER BOOTS FOR WOMEN. Here is something we rarely reduce. Women's black Archpreserver boots in the \$14 and \$15 grades reduced for this sale only to \$12. Then we have the brown boots, everybody likes them, \$16.50 values for \$14.40. Remember, this is Archpreserver week. We guarantee a perfect fit.

BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS NOW. A reduction of ten per cent off of any slipper in stock.

CHILDREN'S SHOES. A reduction of ten per cent from any you select.

Here You Are, Men, Look at These Shoe Specials

STACY ADAMS SHOES FOR MEN. We are putting the knife to the prices of these high grade shoes. \$17 and \$18 values now reduced to \$14.

MEN'S E. T. WRIGHT SHOES in brown calf lace boots, English last, \$18 values for \$8.45.

MEN'S BROWN AND BLACK VICI KID LACE BOOTS, \$11.50 for \$8.05.

MEN'S ARCHPRESERVER BOOTS in brown or black calf or kid in \$13 and \$16 grades for \$12.

Prices On Men's Furnishings Talk

MEN'S SILK SHIRTS in \$10 and \$15 values \$7.45. EAGLE BRAND DRESS SHIRTS, take your choice at a fourth off.

CLEAN UP A BROKEN LINE OF SHIRTS at \$1.25.

MEN'S FLANNELLETTE SHIRTS, \$2 for \$1.48.

MEN'S BLUE WORK SHIRTS, \$2.25 for \$1.60.

MEN'S SILK SOCKS, \$1.50 for 98c. \$1.75 values for \$1.25. \$2.25 values for \$1.50. \$3 values for \$2. 75c values for 60c.

MEN'S CADET LISLE SOCKS, 85c for 60c.

MEN'S 75c SOCKS for 44c. Work Socks for 25c.

MEN'S TIES, \$1.25 values for 75c. \$1.50 for 95c.

MEN'S PAJAMAS AND WOOL SHIRTS AT TWENTY PER CENT OFF.

MEN'S MALLORY HATS AND ALL CAPS AT TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT OFF.

ARMY SWEATERS, one lot of \$11.50 values for \$7.50.

NEW CLOTH HATS, \$3.50 and \$4.50 values for \$2.98.

MEN'S STIFF COLLARS, Barter Brand, now 5 for \$1.

MEN'S WORK GLOVES, \$2.50 for \$1.75.

MEN'S MUNSING UNDERWEAR, Choice at twenty-per cent off.

Addressed City Club Members

Always a Sunny Side.
The toughest thing in all this world has its sunny side. There is joy in a stubbed toe when it stops aching. It feels so good!

The Yellow Sea.
The Yellow sea is an arm of the Pacific ocean, on the northeast coast of China. Its length is about 620 miles. Its greatest breadth about 400 miles. It is very shallow, and obtains its name from the lemon-yellow color of its water near the land, caused by mud suspended in the water from the inflow of the river Hoangho and Yangtseling.

No Room for Them.
"Isn't there a notion that spirits walk the earth on Halloween?" "Yes," replied Mr. Groncher. "But they don't. None of them would dare take a chance on meeting the small boys who have taken charge of that particular date."

Wrong Suit.
"But," she objected, "you're a jack of all trades." "You art the queen of my heart," he reminded her, "and the queen takes the jack." Refusing, however, to be impressed with this argument, the maid insisted on a new deal.—Judge.

J. Paul Heinel was the speaker at the meeting of the Women's City Club at 2:30 this afternoon, in the Carnegie Library. His subject was "Opportunities For Service" and he outlined the work that the organization could do for the betterment of the community.

Alone in the man's room with the door locked. And he had dragged out wine. His fingers were stretched out to touch her and break her spirit. What did she do. See "The Best of Luck" at the Temple tonight and tomorrow.

"Shivered His Timbers."
It was the difference between the British oak of which their old-time battleships were made and the wood of the French and Spanish vessels that led to this saying. When a cannon ball hit a British ship it made, owing to the hard, close-grained structure of the wood, a clean hole, which a man with mallet and plug could easily stop up. When, however, a British ball hit a French or Spanish ship, made of more fibrous oak, it smashed the wood into splinters—shivering his timbers, as the old sea dogs used to say.

That's Why.
The woman who claims to know L. most about how to raise children usually has none of her own to practice on.

France To Keep Troops In Syria

PARIS—France will not withdraw any of her troops from Syria or Cilicia for the present, according to decision reached here.

WILL RUN 'EM TO COVER
WASHINGTON—Promises that any shipping board employee guilty of corruption would be "run to cover" made by Guy D. Guilf, general counsel of the board.

Want Another Federal Office Created
WASHINGTON—Recommendations that congress create additional federal office—comptroller general of the United States—under consideration by treasury officials.

CONFESSES TO MURDER
CLEVELAND—Henry Jones, 41, "to ease his conscience," confessed to detectives that he shot and killed Peter Konstantinoff on October 7.

PLEDGE AID TO POLES
CLEVELAND—Several thousand Poles in meeting addressed by Major Fauntleroy, commander of Polish air forces, pledged aid to people in Poland in need of food.

Huge Roundup Of Criminals In Chicago

CHICAGO, November 22.—Nearly a thousand persons were under arrest today as a result of the biggest roundup of criminals in Chicago in many years. The drive was started at midnight last night by Charles Fitzmorris, new chief of police, as the second step in his announced campaign to rid Chicago of criminals and followed a recent wholesale shakeup of the police force in which nearly every member was transferred to a new position.

Dozens of squads of detectives and policemen spread over the city early yesterday and all day long patrol wagons rolled up to police stations with loads of alleged criminals. Nearly every saloon was visited by the officers and scores of pool rooms and alleged disorderly flats were raided.

One thousand plain clothes men and 2,500 uniformed officers conducted the raids, which were under the personal direction of Chief Fitzmorris.

Nine Perish In Gasoline Explosion
QUEBEC—Two women and seven children burned to death in village of Padon when gasoline explosion set fire to the home.

Australian Knocks Out Frenchman
SYDNEY, N. S. W.—Jack Green, Australian featherweight champion, knocked out Eugene Criqui, of France, in fourth round.

BRINGING UP FATHER



BY GEORGE McMANUS

RED CROSS ENROLLMENT GROWING

A big Red Cross meeting will be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms tonight and it is urgent that all the house-to-house canvassers be present and be prepared to make a full report on the progress of the campaign in the respective territories. Workers in the

different factories are also urged to be present and make as complete a return as possible on the work in those places. O. E. Riekey, chairman of the campaign committee, will have charge of the meeting. Definite plans will be made at the meeting to conclude the

Roll Call by Thursday, the date originally set to bring the call for membership to an end. A redistribution in the city and county will be made so that every person will be given a chance to help in the great work being done by the Red Cross by becoming a member of the organization.

Definite figures on the progress of the campaign are expected to be available after tonight's meeting. Already thousands of members have been enrolled but the Red Cross has not yet reached the total desired and all people who have not been visited are urged to call the headquarters or send in their subscription.

Reports from the various factories are encouraging to officials of the Red Cross and they confidently expect to reach the goal set by the time of the end of the Roll Call if the people of the city will do their part.

One dollar is all that is asked of you to help the Red Cross of Peace carry on the life-saving work that is always the work of "the greatest mother in the world."

HIT BY FLY WHEEL; CONDITION SERIOUS

MANCHESTER, Nov. 22—Charles Curry, 33, married, former mechanic in the Whitaker-Glossner Plant in Portsmouth, yesterday was struck across the stomach by a fly-wheel of a small gasoline engine. The motor outfit was being rigged up by amateurs for the purpose of sawing

storewood here when the accident occurred. Curry weighs more than 250 pounds and his condition is serious.



KEMP'S BALSAM
will stop that cough, Bill. My mother gives it to me when I get a cough and you don't hear me coughing all the time.

JACKSON NEWS

JACKSON, Nov. 20—Mrs. T. J. Edwards has rented her home to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Beam of Gary, Indiana, and she and her daughter Miss Kate Edwards will go to Columbus to spend the winter, where two other daughters are located. Her departure leaves no representative of the family of J. W. Longben in the county.

I. C. Long Ill
Ex-Sheriff Isaac C. Long, a member of an old family is confined to his home by a serious illness.

The Downey-Swain Wedding
Mr. John W. Downey of the Cove neighborhood were married Thursday, Nov. 18, by Rev. Ira W. Stout officiating.

The Austin-Bennett Marriage
David Austin and Minnie Bennett both of Wellston who were divorced July 6, 1920, came to Jackson Thursday and secured a marriage license and were remarried here, Rev. Ira W. Stout officiating. Mrs. Austin was a daughter of Morgan Estep and was born in Kentucky.

The Leo Divorce
Mrs. Emma Leo was granted a divorce today from Benjamin Franklin Leo now confined in the Prison Farm at London, Ohio. They were married August 1, 1907. And six children were born to them, Stanford aged 12 years, Bessie 10, Audrey 8, Franklin 5, Paul 3, and Melvaine 1. The custody of the children was granted to the mother.

Important Suit Filed
George B. Woodrow by his attorneys Joseph McGhee and Louis D. Johnson filed a suit today against the General Coal and Mining company and Joseph Devore for money etc. in the sum of \$22,500. W. K. Williams is attorney for the defendants. The suit grows out of proceedings in the matter of the Gen. City Coal and Mining company.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Lake newly wedded whose home is at Dayton spent the past week on the Lake farm near Byer occupied by Frank Collard. The bridegroom is the son of Silas H. Lake a former resident of this city.

The Stouts Go To Michigan
Rev. and Mrs. Ira W. Stout leave Tuesday for Flint, Michigan, where they will spend a vacation of two weeks at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stout.

Gallia Farm Annexed
The County Board of Education in session today granted the petition of Bart Russell a Gallia County farmer who wishes to have his farm annexed for school purposes to the Keystone district in this county. The Gallia County Board must take a public hearing on the matter at a public session. His residence is in Gallia but much of his farm is in this county.

Lakes Visited Old Home
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lake and son Oman of Toledo spent the past week

With Servants to Command.
A writer in the Indian Daily News, home in London for the first time in eight years, is amazed at the way families who once "lived" with nine servants now manage with three and those who managed with three now doing with none, according to the Christian Science Monitor. "They seem to make everything for themselves," he writes back to Calcutta, "but I do wish they wouldn't keep advising me to get a bootmaker's outfit and learn to cobble for myself." He describes the "ready cooked" departments of grocery stores, a new thing on such vast scales in London, and concludes that life may not be so hard after all, though for himself, he will the more cheerfully return to India, where a man may command his servants and need not arm himself with the tools of many trades.

Really Nothing New.
In Java is the great temple of Borobodor, temple of the many Buddhas, which was unearthed some years ago, and is known to have been built in the fifth century, and right near it is the lesser temple of Mendoot. Further north, in the Caroline Islands, are the ruins of an ancient city whose streets were waterways just as those of Venice are today. So when visits are made to these virgin islands and one feels almost like a discoverer of new lands it is well to remember that there is nothing new, even under the tropical sun.—Exchange.

Heavy Cold? Chest All Clogged Up?
Don't Give it a Chance to "Set In"—Use Dr. King's New Discovery

DON'T let it get a start. Dr. King's New Discovery will get right down to work, relieving the tight feeling in the chest, quieting the hacking cough, gently stimulating the bowels, and eliminating the cold poisons. Always reliable.

For fifty years a standard remedy. All the family can take it with helpful results. Eases the children's croup. No harmful drugs. Convincing, healing taste that the kiddies like. All druggists, 60 cents, \$1.20 a bottle.

For colds and coughs
Dr. King's New Discovery

Feel Badly? Bowels Sluggish? Haven't any "pep" in work or play? You're constipated! The stimulating action of Dr. King's Pills brings back old time energy, makes the bowels and liver respond to your strong healthy body. All druggists, 25c.

Prompt! Won't Grip
Dr. King's Pills

with relatives in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Bunn Ehrman and Knox Hanson of Portsmouth accompanied Aldine R. Kroh of Optima, New Mexico, to City Saturday and he spoke to a meeting of farmers at the Court House in the afternoon. He is an advocate of farmers organizations of the right kind.

Mrs. Loudon Moves to Columbus
Mrs. George T. Loudon is preparing to move to Columbus and her Sunday school class in the Presbyterian Sunday school honored her with a reception at the home of Miss Betty Sloan one evening this week. Mrs. David L. Pickrel has returned from a visit to her sons at Dayton.

PORTSMOUTH DRY GOODS CO.

We Are Taking The City By Storm With This Great 4th Anniversary Sale

Suits, Coats, Hats, Dresses, Furs, General Merchandise At THE GREATEST REDUCTIONS IN THE STATE!

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The "P. D. G." can show you the very best values in serge, silk and wool plaid skirts you ever saw and prove to you the actual prices have been sensationally reduced!

\$7.50 Skirts At \$4.98
\$10 Skirts At \$6.95
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We have the largest and finest line of women's purses and bags ever put into a store! Almost anything you can wish for—novel strap purses in dozens of fine designs, tool leather purses and cases, velvet, silk and tulle bags. Buy them to gifts—and buy them here where you can save. Purses and bags at from 49c to \$4.98

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DRESS SALE!

Serger, satins, taffetas, tricotines, jerseys, all included in this sweeping sale. The newest and most beautiful styles.

\$10.00 Dresses . \$6.95
\$15.00 Dresses . \$9.95
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An Unbeatable Offer!

\$37.50 Women's Suits \$18.75

This lot of stylish serge, tricotine, etc. suits represents a feat in merchandising seldom equaled. What other store ever offered high grade conservative or fur trimmed suits at half their value at this time of the season? WE STAND ALONE!

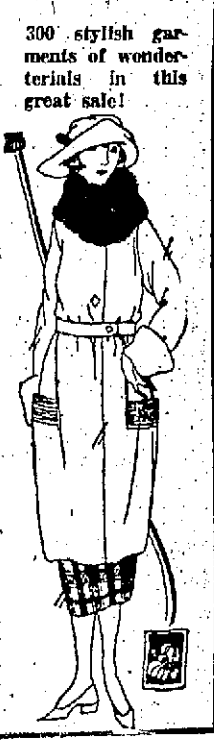
SALE OF SAMPLE COATS!

To \$25 Values \$14.95

This is almost a half-price sale! Just in time for Thanksgiving too. Hundreds of distinctive and fashionably styled coats go at from \$5 to \$15 below the prices they are being sold for elsewhere.

To \$32 Values At \$19.95

These two big groupings at \$14.95 and \$19.95 comprise practically every style now desired. Great cape collar coats, wrap coats, fur trimmed and rich looking plain models—everything!



\$2.98 Ladies Hats	\$2 Child's Hat	\$8 Bath Robes	Child's Sweaters	Corset Special
\$1.00	99c	\$4.98	98c	79c

Nicely trimmed brim and turban hats, wanted styles that were priced \$2.98. Special \$1.00.

A big sale lot of beautiful velvet hats for children. Several colors. Sale price only 99c.

Heavy blanket robes, choice from a large variety of the best colors and designs. Only \$4.98.

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A large sale lot of finely embroidered crepe de chine and georgette, late styled.

64 inches wide, fine figured linen. Special 98c yard.

Nice dark grey flannel waists with tucked fronts, long sleeves and neat collars.

Stylish Tuxedos in the finest combinations and wonderful looking coats!

Of splendid quality striped outing, full made, priced \$1.98 regularly.

Good size square white covers, fine figured.

Flash silk and lace camisoles that are very pretty. Special.

Large white handkerchiefs soft, good quality. On the first floor at only 10c each. To \$25 Values

On sale tomorrow first floor. White canvas gloves with elastic tops. 10c pair.

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I have just received another lot of "Jim" balls and bowling shoes. One made of the best grade of white canvas, black leather trimmed and first quality of red rubber suction soles (like cut) — the other of black clonzoia with pearl electric soles. This shoe I have made especially for all indoor sports and is recommended by men of authority. Why take a chance of slipping and injuring yourself. Be sure on your feet and help your team win. Ordinary street shoes are not correct for sports.

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Annual election of officers.

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Regular meeting Portsmouth Lodge No. 154, B. P. O. Elks, Monday evening, November 22, 7:30 o'clock. Initiation.

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WANTED
Home for 17 year old girl to work for board before and after school. Willing worker. Phone 1136-J.

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Cottage

This cottage is of the "L" type, storm sheeted and consists of five rooms and bath roughed in, electricity, front porch, cellar, sanitary sewer connections, street assessments paid. Large lot, good shed in rear. A bargain at \$3500. Reasonable terms.

The Land Office
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WANTED—Baker, at once, to help out week or 10 days. Nu-Way Bakery, Phone 120, Lincoln, Ohio. 22-2t

WANTED—Licensed engineer, Harbison-Walker, Gallia and Campbell Avenue. 22-1t

WANTED—Agents: Crew managers, buy of us, Make 50 to \$75 weekly. Thousands are doing it. Write Bacon Company, Elmira, N. Y. Nov. 22-3 Mob.

WANTED—Girl, Star Garage 707 Chillicothe St. 22-2t

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WANTED—To rent 3 or more furnished rooms by Nov. 30th. Address W. L. care Times. 22-4t

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WANTED—To rent small farm near city. Phone Boston 29-Y. 22-4t

WANTED—Second-hand cash register. Pepper's Store. 22-2t

WANTED—Business Opportunity for white barber. One of the best locations in Portsmouth can be secured by proper man. Address A. J. M., Times Office. 22-3t

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Brings you the title for this attractive home, storm sheeted; and consisting of six rooms, bath, pantry, cabinet mantel, hall between bath and bed rooms; outside entrance to second floor, electricity, call bells, front and rear porches, cellar, garage. This is new property and is nicely situated in New Boston — A splendid proposition at \$6000.

The Land Office

STOP! LOOK!

Owner Leaving The City

Just Received: Attractive 7 Room Bungalow

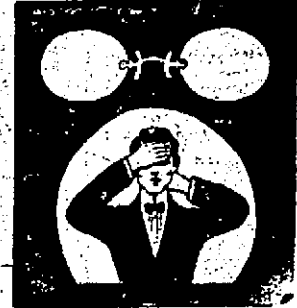
The W. R. Knapp's attractive home, corner lot on Kinney's Lane, a home located in a very fine residential section, containing 7 large well lighted and ventilated rooms, double French doors leading into the dining room, living room approximately 16 by 24 feet, large open fire place, gas logs, dining rooms, kitchen, large bed room down stairs, lavatory and toilet on first floor, built in book case, colonnade between living room and dining room, three bed rooms and complete bath upstairs, large closets to each room, floored attic, equipped with gas and electricity, hardwood floors, double floors, basement under one-half house, combination gas and coal furnace, front and rear porches, lot 40 feet front and 130 feet deep, garage, cement floor, room enough for three automobiles, street assessments paid, sanitary sewer connected.

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WANTED—To trade farm of 140 acres for town property. W. B. Wilson, Quincy, Ky. 20-6t

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WANTED—Davenport, davenport, lounges and chairs to upholster and repair. Factory experience. Elmer Blevings, 909 Second St. Phone 2002-G. Nov. 11-14t

WANTED—Furniture to repair and refinish, first class work guaranteed. Carr and Delvin, 1010 Gallia. Phone 1040-Y or 1896-X. 11-30t

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FOR SALE—Large Model Oak coal heater. Phone 1484-L. 22-3t

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FOR SALE—Weed chains for passenger cars and trucks. Cross chain for repairs. Phil Jacobs, Auto Supplies, 737 Third. 22-1t

FOR SALE—Gentlemen's real \$20.00 Ralucats, sizes 26 to 44 for only \$10.00 each 1223 4th Street. 22-2t

FOR SALE—Turkeys, 2538 Gallia. Phone 1106-X. 22-2t

FOR SALE—Sugar beet pulp. Coburn Bros. Phone 745. 22-3t

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FOR SALE—Cream Separator good as new cheap is sold at once. Jake See, Franklin Fec. R. E. D. No. 1. 22-3t

FOR SALE—Girls coat, aged 14, cheap Call 1601 7th. 22-2t

FOR SALE—Farms, all sizes, some with tools, teams, crops. Immediate possession. Price and terms very reasonable. Phone 334-Y or Boston 140. J. L. Fraithier. 22-3t

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FOR SALE—Davenport. 614 Glover. Phone 2029-L. 22-3t

FOR SALE—Modern seven room home one square from High School. Newly papered. Is rented now at \$300 per month. A bargain at \$6100. Inquire at Winchell's Optical Parlor, 1220 Ninth or Phone 378. 21-3t

FOR SALE—New hot-air Hercules Pipeless Furnace, never installed. 22 inch firepot. Phone 780. 1129 8th and St. 20-3t

FOR SALE—Or trade, 8 room house. Will take machine. Loan arranged. Call at 1824 5th Street. 20-1t

FOR SALE—Destructible home, 1013 Hutchins Ave., near Kinney's Lane. Phone 1698-X. 20-3t

FOR SALE—Coal call C. W. Baker. Phone 2024-Y or Jim Horton 2001-M. 20-3t

FOR SALE—6 room house on hill top, bath, pantry and basement new garage and new furnace, house in very good condition, good location on Waller street near Kinney's Lane. Can give possession about Dec. 1. Terms \$1500 down, balance to suit purchaser. Apply in person only at my office in Masonic Temple. C. M. Searl. 20-1t

FOR SALE—Chevrolet Sedan. Mrs. T. W. Watkins. 1522 Baird. 20-3t

FOR SALE—8 room bungalow. Modern in every respect. Price very reasonable for quick sale. Phone 2284-L or 820-X. 17-1t

FOR SALE—Everything for the auto. West End Supply Co., 115 Market Street. 17-1t

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We Sell Them DOWN TOWN

FOUR room cottage, Fourth Street, water, gas, bathroom, cellar, cistern, large garage, small amount of cash, balance easy terms. Price \$4500

SEVEN room two story, Court Street near 8th, bath, hardwood floors, pantry, folding doors, cabinet mantel, cellar, built in china closet, sanitary sink, street assessments paid, small amount of cash, balance easy terms. Price \$5800

SEVEN room two story, 9th Street, west of Grimes Avenue, bath, electricity, basement, furnace, sanitary sink, double garage, good condition. Price \$6000

SIX room two story, Sixth Street, near Court House, complete bath, electricity, mantle, front and rear porches, cellar, garage, good condition. Price \$6800

SIX room two story, 2nd Street, east of Chillicothe, complete bath, gas, electricity, reception hall, pantry, folding doors, cabinet mantel, basement, hot water furnace, built in kitchen cabinet, front and rear porches, storm sheeted, large garage. Property is in excellent condition; above 1913 flood. Price \$10000

TEN room two story, 7th Street east of Gay, complete bath, gas, electricity, basement, steam furnace, hardwood floors, hardwood finish, folding doors, cabinet mantel, built in kitchen cabinet, built in china closet, sanitary sink. This is a fine home, large corner lot. Immediate possession. Price \$10000

HILL TOP
FOUR room cottage, Summit Street, near Main car line, complete bath, cabinet mantel, cellar, front and rear porches, sanitary sink, large lot, garage, street assessments paid, small amount of cash, balance easy terms. Price \$4600

FIVE room two story, Oakland Avenue, bath, cabinet mantel, cellar, pantry, front and rear porches, newly painted, new garage concrete floor. This is a bargain can be purchased on easy terms. Price \$5000

FIVE room cottage, 18th Street, west of Offene, complete bath, cabinet mantel, pantry, cellar, sanitary sink, large lot. A bargain. Price \$5000

EIGHT room two story Summit Street near Main car line, complete bath, cabinet mantel, cellar, beautiful large veranda brick columns, large lot, garage, owner leaving city must sell. \$5500

A good buy. Price \$5500

FIVE room two story, 20th Street near Timmonds, complete bath, cabinet mantel, pantry, cellar, large lot, side drive, new garage. Easy terms. Price \$5500

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FIVE room two story, Highland Avenue, complete bath, gas and electricity, pantry, folding doors, cabinet mantel, cellar, built in china closet, sanitary sink, street assessments paid, small amount of cash, balance easy terms. Price \$5850

SIX room two story, Kinney's Lane, complete bath, gas and electricity, pantry, folding doors, cabinet mantel, cellar, garage, side drive. Terms. Price \$6800

SIX room two story, Offene Street, south of Grant, complete bath, gas and electricity, folding doors, cabinet mantel, pantry, basement, furnace, built in china closet, slate roof, large lot, fine location. Price \$7250

NEW SIX room bungalow, Grandview Avenue, complete bath, gas

THE MOVIES



Here It Is — At The Eastland Theatre For Two Nights Starting Tonight, The One Big Mammouth Picture Of The Season, "The Birth of a Soul," By Gouverneur Morris, A Picture So Big, So Fine, So Real That You Will Live And Breathe Its Characters All The Way Through — A Picture Guaranteed By The Eastland Theatre To Be The Biggest It Has Ever Shown — 7 Acts — Three Complete Shows Each Night.

THE CAST
 Eve de Merincourt—Marguerite De La Motte.
 Richard Bedell—Wallace McDonald.
 Allen Marsh—Hallam Cooley.
 Jacques de Merincourt—Joseph Swickard.
 Henry Caron—Arthur Hoyt.
 Hilda—Marcelle Daly.
 Valinsky—Percy Challenger.
 Story By Gouverneur Morris.
 Adapted By Lillian and George Randolph Chester.
 Directed by Tom Terris.
 His name and address, scrawled in pencil on the rim of a drying man, led the way to fortune and adventure for Richard Bedell, a penniless young man. For the man was Valinsky, a half-century old Polish inventor, and Bedell, although down to his last half dollar

had shared that with the other when the two had met.
 "I'll pay you back with interest, you hear?" the inventor had told Bedell, as he pocketed the money. Bedell, laughing, gave the old man his name and address, and Valinsky, pulling up his sleeve and rubbing clean a spot on his arm, had written them down in that strange, memorandum book with a stab he produced from somewhere.
 Bedell had forgotten the existence of the other in his own wretchedness when he was summoned hastily to Valinsky's bedside. The inventor had insisted that the man, who had befriended him, be called.
 "Take them. They're yours. They're worth millions," the drying man muttered, thrusting into his hand some



You Will Gasp and Tingle with the Excitement of it for They Fight to the Death at the Bottom of the Sea. "The Best of Luck" at the Temple Tonight and Tomorrow Will Give You the Biggest Thrill You Ever Had. A Snub Pollard Comedy Too.

The Temple management has one of the rarest treats ever put on the screen in store for its patrons tonight and tomorrow. "The Best of Luck" is the name of this most wonderful of all melodramas and it is truly the production that has everything. The action revolves about a chest of jewels which lies at the bottom of the sea in a wrecked ship. Leslie Macdonald, a beautiful and daring Scotish girl is pitted against a rich and unscrupulous Spaniard, who seeks to possess not only the lost treasure but the girl herself.
 The Spaniard lures the girl to his apartments and attempts to overcome her, by a clever ruse she escapes with a chart of the ocean bed where the wrecked vessel lies. She rides by night on her motorcycle to enlist the aid of her sweetheart in the search for the

UP A TREE

By JACK LAWTON.

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 For exactly three years Billy had loved Roberta from afar. And among his associates Billy was known either as a bashful or different youth. But when a girl wears upon her finger a ring that cost more than a year's salary to buy, and when a girl is surrounded by other admirers who might go on purchasing for her just such jewels, well, Billy's demeanor under the circumstances was becoming and sensible. Yet—he loved her; there was the trouble.

And "Lobby," the gay, the popular, seemed not averse to poor Billy's homage, even while she flaunted, directly after some favor of companionship—another fortunate "attendant." In Billy's face. Less and less, as time went on, was Billy able to understand himself or his own behavior. For as sure as he started out determinedly to give the pretty Bobby a hint at least of his feelings, that he might judge thereby the possibility of continuing further devotion, as certain was Billy to return home despondently, in the realization that the words had been switched—so to speak—from his very lips. Bobby had an innocent way of turning conversation, which verged on the serious into lightness and laughter, which the foreboding man construed, his discouragement. And then, Billy was allowed a little of Bobby's undivided attention. A third party seemed always inadvertently or purposely present. It was when the Struthers invited Roberta for a week to their farm, that Billy conceived the idea of pleading for an invitation to spend Saturday in that same delightful spot. The invitation was easily obtained through Will Struthers, his friend, and Roberta's brother-in-law. In this pleasant proximity, Billy hoped to find, and take his chance. He had fancied a new softness or suavity toward himself lately, in the girl's usually frank and friendly manner. Could it be, he asked himself palpably, that his silent allegiance was at last to be rewarded? But when, upon reaching the Struthers farm the following Saturday, Billy found assembled there a jolly wedding party, his hopeful spirits sank.

Here again was to be the usual Roberta-admiring, usurping throng. With as good a grace as possible, he entered into the various out-door games, with Bobby always just beyond his reach. When he retired at last forlornly to rest his broad shoulders against a hay mound, Roberta regarded him pensively. Out of the corner of his gloomy eyes Billy saw her. Then, with a thrown back inviting smile, the girl ran straight through the orchard. Billy waited until her pink frock had disappeared before he alertly but stealthily followed. No one must forestall him here. But Billy had reached the end of the orchard before he found her, and then it was the threatening sound of a bull dog's growl which showed him Roberta's plight. The dog, an ugly beast, stood snarling and showing his fangs, bellowing a spreading apple tree, while perched precariously on a high limb sat, or rather clung, the girl.



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Many A Pretty Face Spoiled By Pimples

Don't close your eyes to the warning which nature gives, when unsightly pimples appear on your face and other parts of the body.
 Not only are these pimples and blotches disfiguring, but they lead to serious skin diseases that spread and cause the most discomforting irritation and pain. Sometimes they foretell Eczema, hives, blisters, scaly eruptions and other annoyances that burn like flames of fire, and make you feel that your skin is ablaze.

When these symptoms appear on any part of the body, take prompt steps to rid the blood of these disorders. And the one remedy which has no equal as a blood cleanser is S. S. S., the purely vegetable medicine, which has been on the market for more than fifty years. It is sold by druggists everywhere.

If you are afflicted with this form of skin disease do not expect to be cured by lotions, ointments, salves and other local remedies, as they possibly reach the source of the trouble which is in the blood. Begin taking S. S. S. today, and write a complete history of your case to our chief medical adviser who will give you special instructions, without charge. Write at once to Medical Director, 827 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.—adv.

Body Of Priest Found In Grave, Murder Victim

GALWAY, Ireland, Nov. 22.—The body of Father Griffin, the priest who disappeared several days ago, was found yesterday in a shallow grave about four miles from Galway. There was a bullet wound in his temple.

The body was brought to Galway this morning. Intense excitement prevailed. The body of Father Griffin, who was the curate of Bushy park, was found in a bog by the roadside near Darna, four miles from Galway. Volunteers have been searching for the missing curate since he was kidnapped by three unknown persons last Sunday. A party of country lads made the discovery. The last observed in the bog what appeared to have been a recent upheaval. They began probing into the mound with sticks and finally uncovered the skirts and the overcoat of the priest. Without proceeding further they sent for priests in Galway and, when they arrived, the body was taken to the town hall for identification. The body was found in a shallow grave about four miles from Galway. There was a bullet wound in his temple.

In about twenty minutes the lamps were relighted and the party drove away. When the body of Father Griffin was brought into Galway today it was placed, uncoffined, on the high altar of the parish church. The crowd gathered before the altar, while three priests knelt nearby, reciting the rosary. The first intimation the townfolk had of the tragedy was an announcement made by the priests at the morning masses.

At Saint Joseph's church, where Father Griffin presided, pathetic scenes of grief were witnessed. The priest omitted the usual sermon and confined himself to relating incidents of the life of Father Griffin and paid tribute to him. They declared that the priest had earned a martyr's crown and begged the congregation for the repose of his soul but not to forget to pray also for his murderers. Although a number of priests later have been ill-treated or threatened, Father Griffin is the first to forfeit his life. In fact, no priest has been done to death in Ireland in many years. Father O'Meara, Father Griffin's colleague and senior curate, with whom Father Griffin lived, said in church today that he had received five written threats of death since last May and that he did not dare sleep in his own home. He added that Father Griffin had never received any threats.

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After The "Flu" Or Any Severe Sickness
You Must Enrich The Blood To Restore Strength

To overcome weakness after any severe sickness nothing equals Vinol, our cod liver and iron strength-creator and body-builder—because in a natural manner Vinol creates thousands of red corpuscles and enriches the blood, quickens circulation, increases the appetite, promotes sound, refreshing sleep and soon the entire system is filled with renewed life, vitality and energy.

Mrs. Chas. Moore says: "Influenced by the flu so weak she could hardly walk, but Vinol quickly restored her strength the same as it has for a great many of her friends who have been ill." Your druggist sells Vinol, therefore do not accept any substitute.—adv.

Clever Bill At The Sun

A complete change of program at the Sun theatre at the matinee this afternoon brings to Portsmouth for today, Tuesday and Wednesday what is heralded as one of the most delightfully different and one of the very best shows booked for local presentation thus far this season.

Meyer's Variety Girls are the musical comedy company and they will be seen for the first half of the week in "The Hawaiian Butterfly." There are twelve members of the Variety Girls company, six of whom are beautiful girls. Billy Miffin is the featured funster. The extra added big-time vaudeville hits for today, Tuesday and Wednesday are expected to win exceptional favor. The celebrated Francetti Sisters are "Venuses of the Air" and combine grace, skill and daring in a magnificent aerial novelty. Morgan and Ray are a man and a midget and light-heartedness.

She (as pitcher for the home team strikes out a man)—I don't see anything to cheer about. Why, the man didn't even hit the ball.—Boston Transcript.

RIVER NEWS
 Portsmouth, Ohio, November 22, 1920.

	Wd. ste. rlv. ft.	Wd. river ft.	Change since last 24 hrs.	Wind, m.p.h.	Bar, in.
Franklin	15	4.3K	+1.3		
Grenesboro	18	10.5K			
Pittsburgh	22	3.1F			
Dam No. 13	25	8.4H	+4.0	20	
Zanesville	25	8.4H	+4.0	20	
Parkersburg	30	10.5H			
Charleston	40	11.7H	+2.2	04	
Point Pleasant	50	11.5H	+2.0	22	
Stanton	50	11.6H	+2.0	22	
Ashtland	50	12.6H	+1.0	40	
Portsmouth	50	12.4H	+1.0	40	
Cincinnati	50	12.4H	+1.0	40	

F. R. WINTER, River Observer.

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HARRY T. MOREY

All the Elements of a Good Story are Woven Into "The Birth of a Soul," Starring Popular Harry Morey, which is the Feature Attraction at the Strand Tonight. Don't Overlook it if You Want Something Good!

There is a distinction between the power of the law definitely drawn between the base of the mountains, and the valleys. Federal secret service records are authority for this statement and Vitagraph is reported to have demonstrated it in remarkable action that travels through its latest Harry Morey feature, "The Birth of a Soul."

It is revealed that the valley is generally law abiding, but that up in the grim hills isolation makes the mountaineers law unto themselves.
 "The Birth of a Soul" will be the feature attraction at the Strand Theater tonight.

This picture recounts the dramatic case of a mountaineer who enters the prison room of a man held by his enemies on a charge of foul murder, changes clothes with him and goes to his death by lynching in place of the other. Mr. Morey plays the role of Phillip Grey, the man who makes the supreme sacrifice and Charles Drayton, the one he resembles, and whose life he saves.

This episode is regarded as one of the most remarkable exhibitions of self sacrifice ever seen on the screen. The atmosphere of the picture, to a great extent, portrays the interesting difference between the viewpoint of valley dwellers and mountaineers toward the law. The latter are shown to be high minded characters, but men who set little store by technicality and



Lincoln Tonight, Big Toledo Fight Between Willard and Dempsey. A King-side Attraction. The Biggest Picture of the Season.

Without a doubt the greatest sporting event ever held in the history of the world was the memorable battle on July 4th, between Jess Willard and Jack Dempsey and the Lincoln Theatre management has been fortunate enough to secure the genuine live real picture of this never-to-be-forgotten contest for tonight's showing only.

This is the feature that has been so long held up by the State Board of Motion Picture Censors and has only recently been approved by them. This is the authentic picture of the fight and no detail has been omitted, thus making it possible for the patrons of the Lincoln to see for 15 and 25 cents what would have cost them 15 to 25 dollars at Toledo.

Also a comedy feature.

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Forearm Fractured
 Harry Harper of Tenth street suffered a fractured forearm when he attempted to crank an automobile Monday. He is a shoe-maker.

Friday Is Pay Day
 Friday will be pay day with the thousands of employees of the Whitaker Glassware company. The mill is working steadily in all departments.

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Strenuous Practice On Program For Smoke House Team

SELECTS' FLOOR SQUAD TO HAVE CLASS

A Case Of Cold Feet



The Selects basketball team will have the strongest team in this section of the country, when basketball season arrives. All of last year's men are here and in addition about five new stars have been unearthed. They intend to have a squad of at least twelve men for the home games, eight of the best will be taken on road trips.

The first game of the season will be played either December 11 or 19 at Brookville, Ky. That team desired a game with the local team and contracts were immediately forwarded.

On December 21st the strong University of Cincinnati team will play here. The team this year is the same one that played here last season. The Selects defeated U. of C. last year 23 to 21 in a hard fought contest. The Cincinnati Alumni here are planning a royal reception for them during their short stay here. The local management is also dickering with Ohio Wesleyan in regard to a game to be played here.

The following men reported for practice recently at the Wilhelms hall, Doll, Fortner, Potts, Blake, Wilson, Edwards, Barber, Woods, Baerman, Quinn, Englebrecht, Kent and Hopkins. Any others wishing to try for the team can get in touch with "Jude" Baerman or Business Manager Jennings Dodge.

Arrangements are being made to get a suitable gym to hold practice and play their games in. The High School will probably be secured.

Early Discouraged.
Mother—"No, Betty darling, I can't button your boots for you. Now you have a little sister you must learn to do things for yourself." Betty—"Shall I always have to do things for myself?" Mother—"Yes, darling." Betty—"Then I don't think I shall like life."—Punch.

CARPENTIER MEANS BUSINESS

JUDGE LANDIS AT HEAD OF BASEBALL



PARIS, Nov. 22—Francis Dempsey, manager of Georges Carpentier, heavyweight boxing champion of Europe, has deposited on behalf of the latter, 750,000 francs in French loan scrip as a guarantee for the contract Carpentier signed with Jack Dempsey while in New York for a bout to decide the championship of the world.

The fund was deposited in the Morgan-Harjes bank and the receipts reads in part: "Received on account Georges Carpentier-Jacques Dempsey contract."

Remarkable Diary.
Peppy's diary is a unique work by Samuel Peppy (1832-1908), giving a curious and faithful account of the times in England from 1859 to 1860. It includes almost every phase of public and social life, from the parades of the court to the pettiest detail of week-day existence. The book is written in shorthand, and was not discovered until a century after the author's death. It was deciphered and published (although in a mutilated form) by Lord Brythorpe in 1825.

Adhesive From Snails.
Many of the larger snails have at the extremity of their bodies small white bladders filled with a gelatinous substance. The Scientific American claims that this is the strongest adhesive known for the repairing of porcelain, glass, etc. The substance is applied thinly to both sides of the fracture and the broken piece is held firmly together so that all is held in place. A rather longer time for drying should be given than in the case of ordinary adhesive so as to allow the natural glue to acquire the greatest degree of strength.

Rickey To Have Big Squad

STEVE O'NEILL IS REAL STAR

It was not merely as a backstop that Steve O'Neill starred last season while the Indians were winning the American League pennant and eventually the world's championship. Of the Redskins who played throughout the campaign, Steve ranked next to Manager Speaker as a batsman, his average being .320, thus giving him the honor of being the best hitting backstop catching regularly in the American

league. He batted eighteen points better than Wally Schang, fifty-two points better than Ray Schalk and sixty points better than Perkins of the Athletics.

Detroit was believed to have the poorest pitching staff in the league, yet Steve batted worse against Tiger hurlers than those of any other team in the circuit. He hit fairly well against Leonard and Duvess but was almost helpless against Ayres and Oldham, the last named holding O'Neill to one hit in ten times at bat.

It was off the offerings of the Philadelphia, New York, Boston and St. Louis pitchers that Steve amassed his excellent average. The Athletic pitchers were soft picking for O'Neill. He batted against the Chicago pitchers for an average of .202.

ST. LOUIS, MO., Nov. 22—More than 20 youthful players, several of whom have already had their major league baptism are scheduled to go south with the St. Louis National League club when the spring training season opens.

Manager Rickey has 22 in line at present and the list is expected to be enlarged. The collection includes 11 pitchers, 5 infielders, 4 outfielders and 2 catchers.

The pitchers are Lou North, Mike Krieger, John Scott, Walter Schulz and Frank Woodward, all of whom saw several weeks service with the Cardinals in 1920 and six new comers—Chester Boyer, Ranger, Tex., Frank Dodson, Fort Smith; George Lyons, Sioux City; Arthur Reinhart, Milwaukee; Arthur Riviere and Leo Weber.

The two catchers are Carlos Tim Grienerbeck, from Cisco, Tex., and George Githam of Suffolk, Va., neither of whom has been seen in action here.

Two of the recent outfielders are returning to the club after a year in the minors. They are Clarence Mueller, Fort Smith and Ed Bogart, Joplin. The other pair are George Miller, from Hagerstown, Md., and Dosey J. Carroll, Memphis.

The new infielders are Adams, a shortstop from Danville, Va.; Ray Blades, Memphis; Irving Wimmer, a local semi-pro; Bottomley and Ezzell, whom Scout Charley Barrett is bringing from Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION.
The State of Ohio, Scioto County, Court of Common Pleas.

Notice is hereby given, that on Saturday the 27th day of November, A. D. 1920, at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M., I will offer for sale at public auction in the Court House, in Portsmouth, Ohio, the following real estate, to-wit:

Situate in the State of Ohio, County of Scioto and Village of South Webster, to-wit:

Lot Number Thirty-eight (38) in said Village as the same is shown upon the recorded plat thereof in the office of the recorder of said county of Scioto; said lot, having frontage of One Hundred and twelve (112) feet and six (6) inches.

Appraised at \$2000 Dollars.

And premises to be sold as the property of the parties to the above action, on an order of sale in Partition from the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, and to me directed as Sheriff of said County.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash, one-third in one year and one-third in two years, deferred payments to bear interest and be secured by mortgage on the premises sold.

Given under my hand this 25th day of October, 1920.

E. E. RICKNEY,
Sheriff of Scioto County, Ohio.

By H. M. DUNHAM, Deputy,
BANNON & BANNON, Att'ys.

Nov. 14 Mon.

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION.
The State of Ohio, Scioto County, Court of Common Pleas.

Notice is hereby given, that on Saturday, the 4th day of December, A. D. 1920, at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M., I will offer for sale at public auction at the door of the Court House, in Portsmouth, Ohio, the following real estate, to-wit:

Situate in the City of Portsmouth, County of Scioto and State of Ohio, to-wit:

Being the east five (5) feet of Lot Number Sixty-four (64) in the Huchins Addition in and fronting thereon (20) feet on the North side of Street, and extending back of said lot to an alley and thirty-two (32) feet to an alley in the rear thereof. Said property is located and known as Ninth Street.

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How State Beat Illinois

Pete Stuchcomb, the star Buckeye halfback, was given credit by Coach Jack Wiley for the winning of the Big Ten championship from Illinois Saturday in the last four seconds of play.

When the teams lined up for what proved to be the last play of the game Stuchcomb noted that the Illinois secondary defense was drawn in close and a pass seemed the only logical play. When the ball was snapped Pete darted to one side of the field drawing the

entire secondary defense of the Illinois team toward him and Truck Myers slipped practically unnoticed to the other side of the field where he received a long forward pass from Hogo Workman on the 17-yard line and darted across the goal line.

Then as the entire Illinois team filed off the field with hanging heads, Pete Stuchcomb kicked the goal that gave Ohio State a seven to nothing victory and the championship of the Western Conference.

Blue Lights Clean Casks.
For some years ultra-violet rays have been used for sterilizing water, milk and other fluids. The idea has now been applied to the disinfecting of barrels and casks. Electric lamps are lowered into the casks and the lights turned on for 15 to 30 seconds. In ordinary barrels coated with pitch the violet rays cannot be left on for a longer period as the increase of temperature causes pitch fumes to rise. The lamps vary in size according to the dimensions of the casks. So far, this method of disinfection by rays has been used successfully only upon casks and barrels which are coated with pitch.

Policewomen Walk Like Men.
London policewomen work in complete and have adopted the regular policeman's stride—long, slow-measured. As their work is moral suasion, they carry no weapon, but as a means of self defense they have learned Jujitsu tricks.

Not an Exacting Girl.
"Your love," he said, "would give me the strength to lift mountains." "Dearest," she murmured, "it will only be necessary for you to raise the dust."—Kansas City Journal.

Big Week With Footballers

This will be a big week with the Smoke House team, so far as work is concerned. The boys are going to pay attention to nothing else. They are out to beat the Tanks and have agreed

to work their heads off to that end. The boys are full of pep and confidence and say they will return home with another Ironton scalp. Remember, this is a promise.

Mat Artists Meet Tonight

NEW YORK, Nov. 22—Wladimir Zhelezko and Ed "Strangler" Lewis, heavyweight wrestlers, meet here tonight to decide which of them will wrestle for the world's heavyweight

championship against Joe Stecher, present champion. The match tonight will be decided by one fall as catch-as-catch-can style. As a preliminary feature tonight, Stecher will wrestle Leon O'Donnell, a French wrestler.

Big Game In Clarksburg

BUCKHANNON, Nov. 22—Preparations for the Marietta-West Virginia Wesleyan football classic which is to be played in Clarksburg on Thanksgiving day are rapidly moving along. The game fosters state-wide interest in West Virginia and goes beyond, covering Ohio and portions of other

states. Seale and Kellison have a powerful scoring machine at Marietta while they have turned out an eleven which has not been scored on this year. On the other hand, Wesleyan is moving along beautifully under the hand of Bob Higgins, the All-American end.

SCORED 2 TOUCHDOWNS

The Smoke House and Independents enjoyed a short practice game in Millbrook yesterday. Fully 500 fans were on hand and pulled for the Independents, who scored two touchdowns.

The Smoke House team only used eight and nine players. Before play started the Smoke House eleven enjoyed a "skull" session in the Grand stand and ran signals for over an hour, many new ones being employed.

Hard Week Of Practice

In anticipation of a gruelling battle in Ironton Sunday the Smoke House team will put in some faithful practice flicks this week. There will be three

solid hours of practice every night and some 25 players will report to the staff of coaches. The team is to be whipped into the best possible condition to face the Tanks.

Local Fans To Stay Together

It is likely that one side of the field in Beechwood Park in Ironton will be allotted to Portsmouth rooters as some 500 fans will make the trip to Cannonville.

If a special train is secured fully 1,000 fans will make the trip. It will undoubtedly be one of the hottest fought gridiron encounters ever staged in the picturesque Ohio valley.

Charleston Refuses To Play

Charleston, W. Va., high school has refused to play Fairmont high school for the championship of West Virginia in a post season game and the latter high school is now claiming the championship of the state.

Charleston more points and are using this as their claim to the title.

Bats Not Classed as Birds.
The bureau of biological survey says that bats are not birds. They are mammals, though adapted to life in the air by the possession of wings formed by a membrane attached between the greatly prolonged bones of the arm and hand.



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FRENCH MAKE GOOD START

THE French have been noted for their hard common sense in financial matters. They recognize that the only way to discharge a debt is to pay it. The war left them in a position that might have seemed as appalling as debt piled on the French to dig from under the enormous burden of debt piled on the French as a people. That the nation has faced the situation and has gone to work in the only way that leads to sound recovery is indicated in a recent statement of Francois Marsal, minister of finance. He pointed out that start has been made in that the currency inflation has been stopped, not a single additional sou having been issued in the present calendar year; the state has called for no new loan from the Bank of France and the floating debt has been reduced by nearly 2,000,000,000 francs. Making a good start is a large part of any task and the items mentioned appear as evidence that a good start has been made. But that is not all. He further cites that the revenues for the first seven months of his year were 65 per cent in excess of the revenues in the corresponding period of the year before and promise for the year to cover the ordinary budget interest on debts and war loans.

Certainly the showing is fine for a nation that was alleged to be decadent before the war and "bled white" by the war. The situation is especially noteworthy because it signifies that France still retains the homely belief that the only effective way to get back to a solid foundation is to go to work to earn the money to pay obligations. They are indulging in no high finance, but are proceeding on old-fashioned principles which they know to be good because all their prosperity of the past was founded on them. They know that nation recovery lies in the individual efforts of the people. France exhibited the heroism of her people in war. Her determination to restore national stability by going to work on the only safe plan proves that common sense ideals still prevail with Frenchmen. There may be as much heroism in tackling a hard job in peace as in fighting in battle.

FIGURIN

IS your Johnny slow in arithmetic? Does long division still hold its threatening scaffold over him? Are quotients, cube root and multiplicands mere names, and not, alas, names to conjure the correct answers with? Well, don't be glum about it.

There is something inhuman about the mathematical prodigy, insists Maurice Maeterlinck, the Belgian philosopher. This distinguished author acknowledges that he cannot extract the root of a number — and never could. Yet he tells wonder-stories of animals in which the faculty has been discovered. Yes, horses and dogs!

The chess players, those puny lads in sailor suits who confound a whole roomful of bearded savants — they are not exhibiting any intelligence in their marvelous faculty of winning every game. The boys who add up columns of figures at a glance are also not so smart.

For the "mathematical faculty" belongs, not to the conscious intelligence, but to a weird, uncanny subconscious being that lives within us, Maeterlinck holds. Most persons who do marvelous feats in arithmetic in childhood outgrow the trait rather early in life, he says. And he adds that the mystery of numbers is a realm all its own, and little connected with the workaday brain.

So cheer up. If the Joneses' Willie struts around because he heads the class, be assured that defense will soon leave him. Turn your little laddie's thoughts, to be sure, to enough mathematical knowledge for his use in life, but give him also other weapons — vigor from games, imagination from his reading, and common sense from contact with his fellows. Then, though his report card in arithmetic be ever so black, you will not have to fear for his future.

NUTTING DAYS

CLIMB up into the dusty old hayrack some rainy afternoon wriggle 'way down into the fragrant hay, empty your sack of walnuts on the floor and set to hulling them. How many of us wish that we could do just that.

Nuts are more plentiful this year. The kids are out a-nutting, cheeks blown rosy with the autumn's wind, hearts free and hands stained a deep and lovely brown. They know what delights are coming.

For after the nuts are stored away in the cellar, on a sharp winter night they will be brought forth again. Mother's old sardiron will do for an anvil, and the entire family will set to cracking nuts, prying eagerly in the delectable kernels, munching as they talk of the little affairs of the day, so big in children's eyes.

Let the wind whistle and the snow blow against the pane. Here is a family with good cheer indoors. Walnuts, hickory nuts, butternuts, hazelnuts, sweet acorns and chestnuts — when there is a goodly generous crop, let the nation indeed rejoice.

The Mormons

By Frederic J. Haskin

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, Nov. 22.—In these brisk days of newer and still newer cults and isms, when people change their religious almost as frequently as they do their spouses, it is rather surprising to find an old-time religion like Mormonism still attracting crowds of recruits to its belated banner.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints now has a membership of 600,000 souls, and this number is increasing every week both by birth and by conversion.

Salt Lake City is full of Baháists, Yogists, Buddhists, and adherents of many other strange sects, in addition to the usual variety of faiths, but none of these churches, it is said, has been able to compete with the spectacular increase of the Mormons. About 75 per cent of the population of the state of Utah is now Mormon, and according to such infallible authorities as Mr. Irvin Cobl, the entire country from Canada to Mexico is filled with the loyal descendants of Brigham Young alone.

One reason for this increase is apparent at once. The Mormons do not believe in birth control. They put a premium on large families, and consequently Utah has more baby carriages than it has automobiles—Mormon baby carriages, with the Zion trademark on them. Many of them, moreover, are the two-passenger variety.

While baptism in the Mormon church is administered only to adults, the children are sent to Sunday school at an early age, and so impressed with its doctrines that they can nearly always be relied upon to grow up Mormons.

Add to these circumstances the fact that Mormon missionaries convert hundreds of persons to Mormonism every year, and you can see why the number of Latter Day Saints is so rapidly increasing.

How Missionaries Work

Much as we prefer babies, we shall take up the question of the missionaries first. For the Mormon missionary system is extremely interesting. These enthusiastic proselytizers journey into all parts of the world, but principally to England and the Scandinavian countries, scattering the pearls of Mormonism without the aid of wisdom totally without the aid of money. At least the church is said not to pay their expenses, and as many of the missionaries are known to be poor and to have large families to be supported at home, the thing explains a curious mystery — namely, that God takes care of the missionaries.

When a Mormon is called by the church to this duty, he obeys instantly, no matter how unexpected may be the summons or how unprepared his personal affairs. During the period of his service he receives no salary. In fact, it is said that no official of the church receives any salary. But upon his departure at last reception is given in honor of the missionary, to which all the members of his church are invited, and at which a collection plate is passed. The contents of the plate are expected to defray his traveling expenses, after which the matter is to be put up to God. Apparently God responds well to the responsibility thus thrust upon Him, for the Mormon missionaries go about their proselyting in a comfortable, if not luxurious way, and have never been known to starve.

Another thing which may explain the sustained prosperity of the church is its splendid system of organization. Since the war, everybody knows how effectively organization steps in where enthusiasm fears to tread. Well, the corner stone of the Mormon system of organization is the tithing system. Every Mormon is required to pay a tenth of his income to the church. It may be in farm produce or in dry goods or in hardware or in preferred stock, but it must be a tenth of his worldly goods. Each ward of the city contains a tithing house, presided over by a bishop, and on a specific date every

month this house takes on the appearance of a country fair, as the faithful pour in with their varied contributions.

A Liberal Church

The church organization also embraces a remarkably good system of recreation for its young people. The Mormons have a few prejudices concerning conduct. They are firmly opposed to swearing, drinking and smoking, and scarcely any of the Mormon males do these things; certainly none of the women. The women also, it is said, are forbidden that most precious vice of their sex—to gossip. Any Mormon matron repeating scandal concerning her neighbors is in peril of being excommunicated. But the church is not opposed to theatricals or to dancing, and in connection with every meeting there are dances—given two or three nights a week; each dance being opened with a prayer.

Thus the Mormons have had the great wisdom to keep up with the spirit of the times, or perhaps they have merely had the good fortune to have the spirit of the times catch up with them.

The church, according to Mormon history, had its origin in the burst of religious feeling which occurred in this country during the early nineteenth century. All of the various sects, it seems, were holding revival meetings—especially in New York and New England—each availing itself of the fact that the chosen cult of God, denouncing all of its rivals and claiming to be the sole heir of heaven. Joseph Smith, Jr., son of a hard-working farmer, went to each of these revival meetings and became greatly confused with their conflicting utterances, and finally prayed to the Lord to help him identify the correct faith.

The Vision of Smith

Almost immediately Smith had a vision in which a Glorious Being informed him that all of the belligerent sects were wrong. After this Smith continued to have visions, each one of which became clearer and more authoritative. One revealed to him that the Mormon belief, which the Lord desired him to deliver, to misguided mankind, was inscribed on several gold plates, buried under a hill about 25 miles from Rochester, New York, together with Urin and Thummim, the stone spectacles through which he was to read and translate their hieroglyphic. The translation is said to have taken two or three years, at the end of which time the plates were returned to their guardian, the Angel Moroni, but not before they had been shown to eight witnesses who later testified to having seen them.

Just before he died, Smith is said to have had his historic vision about polygamy, but it was Brigham Young who really introduced the innovation into the creed of the church. The Mormons no longer practice it, and it is frowned upon by the church.

The non-Mormons of the city, who admire and get along very well with the industrious Saints, tell you that polygamy was introduced in the pioneer days because the Mormons were then so few and the production of many offspring expedient. But this explanation is not in accordance with Mormon doctrine. In their belief polygamy was a divine command from God. The ancient Hebrews with their numerous wives were pleasing in the sight of the Lord, so why not his nineteenth-century chosen children?

Polygamy certainly has a long and respectable history, and it has certainly enjoyed much unofficial vogue even when it has been officially frowned upon. But polygamy is a dead issue in Utah. The fires of prejudice that raged around it once have long since burned out. The Mormons are no longer regarded as a threat to the world's goods. Each ward of the city contains a tithing house, presided over by a bishop, and on a specific date every

Questions AND Answers

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Q. Are any American students being sent to Belgium? T. E. S.

A. Through an exchange of university students recently arranged between Belgium and the United States, 24 Belgian students have enrolled in American universities, and 22 Americans were assigned to the four Belgian universities at Brussels, Louvain, Ghent and Liege, and to the School of Mines. The Belgians are divided among Columbia, Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Cornell, Johns Hopkins, Pennsylvania, Chicago, California, Leland Stanford, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

J. Please suggest some Indian names for farms? F. O. E.

A. The farm might take an Indian name indicating its location, such as Ojibwa, by the pines; Cadoma, hidden; Akama, across the river; Ishpewa, it is high; or some characteristic might be named such as Wabasha, beautiful; Minoaki, good land; Nakasit, easily seen; Wakaba, a bargain.

Q. How old are Vardon and Ray, the English golf professionals? C. S. W.

A. Harry Vardon is 51 years of age, and Edward Ray is 43.

Q. Are there many factories manufacturing the foreign brands of cheese in this country? D. E. R.

A. The Department of Agriculture says that while 2,250 concerns manufacture American types of cheese, 1,000 are engaged in producing foreign types of cheese.

Q. How many Americans received the Croix de Guerre? How many the Distinguished Service Order of the British Government? G. W. L.

A. The War Department says that there have been between 10 and 11 thousand Croix de Guerre medals awarded to American soldiers and about 75 Distinguished Service Orders. The lists are not completed as yet.

Q. What part of the ships of the world are oil burners? Lord's Register.

A. According to Lord's Register, 16.2 per cent of vessels are oil burners, coal burners, 76 per cent, and sail, 6 per cent.

Q. When did John Bunny, the popular star die? H. L. C.

A. John Bunny died on April 23, 1915.

Q. How much gold is there in a \$20 gold piece?

A. A twenty dollar gold piece contains .6044 grains of fine gold, and .5169 grains alloy.

Q. How large is the biggest cannon ball used in the United States Army? C. O. B.

A. The War Department says that the largest cannon balls used by the United States Army troops at the present time, are 20 inches in diameter. The largest military gun used by the United States forces while overseas was the 14-inch railway mounted gun. Sixteen-inch guns are being prepared for use in both the Army and Navy of the United States.

Q. What birds will eat the boll weevil? D. W. L.

A. Upon investigation of the Government it has been found that the boll weevil will be eaten by the Carolina wren, bluebird, phoebe, black-crowned night heron, western meadow lark, Florida meadow lark, common phoebe, redwing blackbird, white-throated sparrow, vesper sparrow, savannah sparrow, brown thrasher, Texas towhee, brown-backed chickadee, jackdaw, great-tailed grackle, mocking bird, butcher-bird, killdeer, Baltimore oriole, dickcissel and scissor-tail fly-catcher.

New-York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys: Up and the wind whistling through the streets, flinging down signs and I breakfasted at the station, the tram bearing my shoe-crazed being late. At a loud report I rushed to the door and they were carrying away on a litter an Italian fellow, pistol in a vendetta the constables said.

Saw it. Ince, the film man, making a brave scuffle to the train, and S. Milton too on the way to the Forest Hills tennis courts and he told me the strangest tale of the new chambers he occupied and how the doors suddenly opened and shut each night there is a cat call at the same hour. Yet he has no fear and will remain there.

Home where there was a great hub hub next door, the young man having taken himself off with an actress and the father, the maddest man ever I saw and his language the most virile

and I could not work for sitting near the door eavesdropping. To the millionaire to see Slaw's "Heartbreak House" a dreary, insane piece, full of flippant twaddle.

In the evening at my scribbling and was making a fair start when A. Resener, H. MacLennan and Misses Adams called and H. and I did our magic tricks, very fine, and then of a sudden we took the notion to go to a midnight show and did and so to bed, very late.

Most of us have had, at some time or other a fling at reforming the world. Consequently a host sympathy may be felt for the feelings and reactions of Charles L. Edson, Arkansas Post, who has returned to New York to conduct a column. Says Edson: "I started out to be a reformer, and began loving humanity so long and earnestly that I didn't have a friend left."

In the old days he was a professional dancer—a dancer on the jazz dances. He paid court to foolish maids and then along came the Great Drought and the slow death of the cabaret and night haunts. The other day I asked about him—as he was a Broadway character. I supposed he had been lost in the shuffle of a changing world. I was told he was now making \$2,000 a week. He has several cars and a Japanese valet apartment on Madison Avenue. He is a boot-legger.

An East Side teacher was using her most lugubrious manner to make the subject of physical geography attractive to her pupils.

"Now can any one tell me what shape the world is?" she pursued her Socratic method.

A dirty faced little urethra arose rapidly as his hand unfurled to the summations.

"Please, ma'am," he said "my father says it's in a hell of a shape."

A lone reporter on the Evening World, working singlehanded against the entire New York police force, discovered the facts for the paper that the Wall Street bomb explosion was the result of a building trades war that has gripped New York for the past five years. And the reporter did not even get to have his name signed to the big exclusive story. The police scoffed at the story but were unable to refute it. Some of New York's most mysterious tragedies have been solved by reporters who counted it all in a days work and never thought of asking to share in the glory.



WHO'S WHO In The Days News

PAUL HYMAN

Paul Hyman, chosen permanent president of the League of Nations, has been in active political life in Belgium since 1900, when he was appointed a member of the house of representatives for Brussels.

He was the head of the Belgian delegation to the peace conference, and a member of the peace commission, of which the other members were Leon Bourgeois, Lord Robert Cecil and Robert Lansing.

Hyman was born in 1865, in Brussels. His father was Louis Hyman, was Louis Hyman, former member of the house of representatives and member of the Belgian Royal Academy. Educated at Brussels University, he became a barrister at the court of appeals in Brussels in 1885.

He married in 1898 Mlle. Therese Goldschmidt. In 1911, became a member of the municipal council of Brussels. Later he was appointed professor at Brussels University and a member of the university's board.

M. Hyman was for many years a prominent barrister and leader of the Liberal party in Belgium. He stepped from his post in England to the position of minister of foreign affairs in the Belgian cabinet and later became premier.

He brought with him to the peace conference a knowledge of economic and political currents and realities, combined with his personal ability as an orator and original thinker, made him one of the, if not the, outstanding figure of the peace conference.

A few weeks after the war broke out in 1914, M. Hyman, accompanied by Count Goblet d'Alvielle and Emil Vandervelde, came to the United States to deliver American sympathy for Belgium in her moment of greatest agony, when the Germans were sweeping ruthlessly across her frontiers and committing unspeakable atrocities. During the next two years in England he kept Belgium's case in the minds of British officialdom.

BY CLIFF STERRETT

and revellia to be bridged over somehow, had hiked his wreny outfit all day and in the evening had gathered them into the mess hall for lecturing and examination.

"Who can tell me," he snapped, "when and why Sherman said 'War is hell?'"

"When Grant made him hike from Atlanta to the sea," came back a foot-sore doughboy.

Cries of "Hangar, Hangar!" First Sweetie—"He inherited lots of money and he's a high flyer, but he's so terribly homesick."

Second Sweetie—"Sort of an heir-plain, huh?"

Taking No Chances "Do you take this woman for better or for worse?" began the pursuer. "If it's all the same to you," said the inexperienced bridegroom nervously, "I'll take her for better."

Mr. Holmes, Please, Mr. Holmes! "Will you reward to party who found trousers in Royal Lunch."—Ad in San Francisco Chronicle.

Also the Chronicle proclaims that a golf ball pitched by Mr. Vardon hit a lady on the bounce.

You Can't Get 'Em Up "There was a sound of revelry by night," began the elocutionist. "Where did you get that stuff?" interrupted a hard-boiled auditor with a service button. "Any slum knows regularly sounds in the morning, not at night."

Proof Bobbie came home one day with a brand new golf ball. "Look at the lost ball I found on the links, daddy," he said.

But daddy was suspicious. "Are you sure it was a lost ball, son?" he asked. "Surest thing you know," replied Bobby with conviction. "I saw the man and his caddy both looking for it."

Q. T. Stuff He had just returned from France. He hurried to see his girl, who certainly had not faded away during his absence. She was glad to see him. She sat on his lap for half an hour telling him the usual sweet nothings.

"Why are you whispering so low, dear?" she asked playfully. "Do you think you are still in the trenches?" "No," he answered. "I just don't want to wake my legs up."

Checkmate Mrs. Sims—"What are you doing with that string tied around your finger?"

Mr. Sims—"You put it there to make me remember to mail a letter for you." Mrs. Sims—"Well, did you do it?" Mr. Sims—"No dear, you forgot to give it to me."

Bells Bells in the country. They sing the heart to rest. When night is on the high road And day is in the west.

And oh! they came to my house As soft as beggars shod. And brought it nearer heaven, And maybe nearer God. —By Robert Nathan.

November November is a spinstor who never had a lover.

All her pretty sisters have sweet hearts by the score.—Wistful April, singing June with roses wreathed above her.

And the gipsy girl October flaming out from brake and cover: But a gaunt, gray spinstor is November evermore.

November is a spinstor who never had a lover. But when you see her sunsets you look into her heart.

I have loved her sisters, I have praised their graces, But in grim November I find a better thing.—A grief that asks no comforting, a heart that seeks no praises.—I'd rather have her courage than all their pretty faces.

Her honest, blunt assurance than the promises of spring.

Brown earth beneath her feet, bare boughs above her, Walking through the empty fields silent and apart,—November is a spinstor who never had a lover.

And only through her sunsets you look into her heart. —By Theodosia Garrison.

The General's Endorsement The captain, one of the peppery, efficient sort of men to whom might was merely an interlude between retreat

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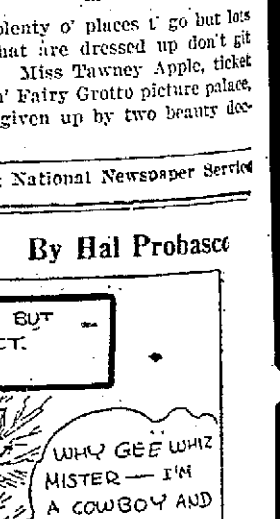
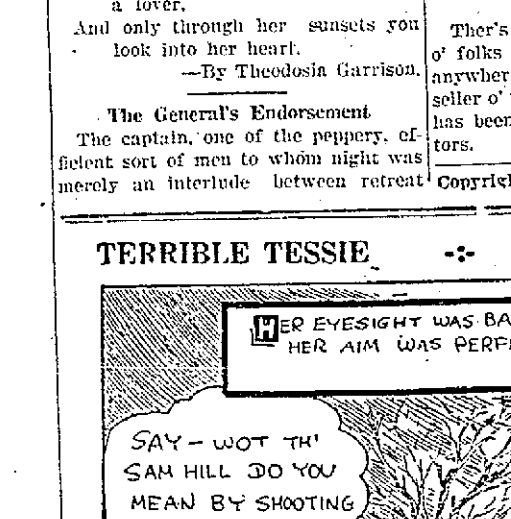
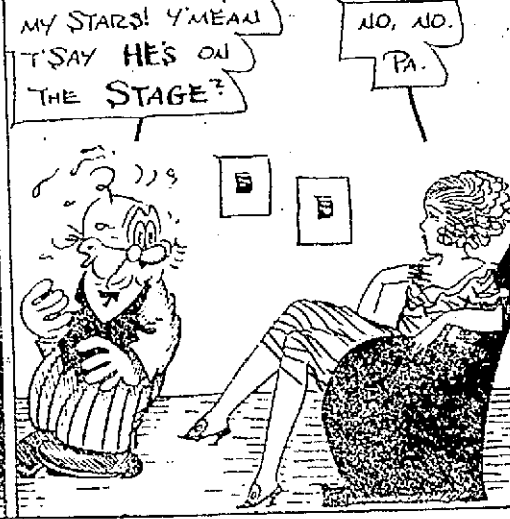
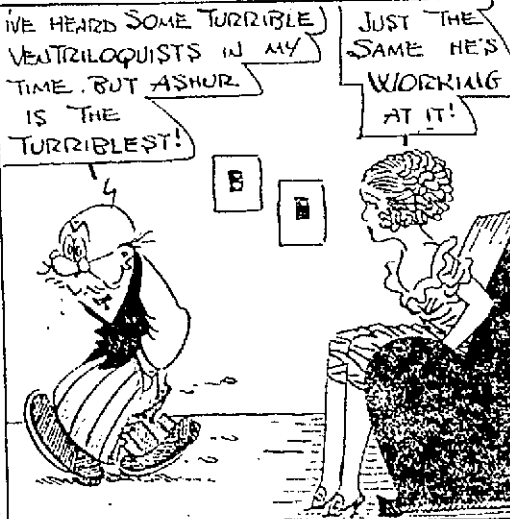
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HER EYESIGHT WAS BAD BUT HER AIM WAS PERFECT.

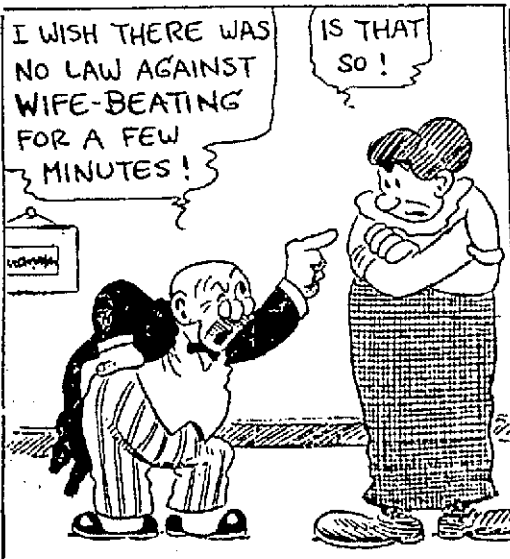
SAY—WOT TH' SAM HILL DO YOU MEAN BY SHOOTING AT ME WITH THAT AIR GUN?

WHY GEE WUZ MISTER—I'M A COWBOY AND I THOUGHT YOU WUZ AN INDIAN WHEN I SAW YOU ACROSS THE STREET—HONEST I DID!

POLLY AND HER PALS



LOUIE THE LAWYER



A Man Can't Pick His Own Misfortunes

